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THE SWEET GIRL GRADUATE HAD HER INNING LAST NIGHT.

Elaborate Program Carried Out at Annual High School Commencement When 28 Complete Course.

REV. ASHE GIVES DIPLOMAS

The Valedictory of Miss Goldsmith, Who Led the Graduating Class of '09 Was Brief, But Original—Good Orations Are Given.

The sweet girl graduate had her innings last night at the Colonial theatre, to say nothing of the boy graduates who were a trifle less sweet, for the annual Commencement exercises were held and the diplomas awarded to the 28 members of the their four year course in the High School.

The largest class ever turned out of the Connellsville High School graduated last night and to show what good work is being done in the schools here were several orations which set an especially high standard. Miss Helen Goldsmith, who led the class this year, delivered the valedictory, and her formal closing of the High School career was brief, original and to the point.

Following Miss Goldsmith, Rev. A. J. Ashe, President of the School Board, presented the diplomas.

"I cannot understand," said Rev. Ashe, "how it is possible for you not to appreciate our public schools. In this class you see the fruition of the efforts of the State to educate its embryo citizens. The public schools are rapidly improving and their greatest work is to bring the rich and the poor together. In the school room, from the infant class to the High School, they touch elbows and become acquainted. There is no better way for the rich and the poor to understand each other.

"It is no small task to graduate a class of 28. Our High School now stands No. 9 in the High Schools of Pennsylvania and next year it will stand No. 5. We will have 10 teachers and fifty 300 pupils. You should stand by your public schools."

The diplomas were then presented and tonight the graduates will folow their separate courses of life after the annual High School hop in the Armory.

The Colonial Theatre was well filled when the overture was played last night. Miss Mae Gilmore opened the program with a pleasing salutatory which was followed by Ernest Snyder's Class History. Miss Loretto Laffey delivered an intelligent oration on True Nobility. Harry Ashe, who proved a boy can play good football and study, too, expounded in his own peculiar style The Proper Sort of Ambition, while The Stability of Literary Fame was told by Miss Fidelis Reinhard. Harold Clasper, another athlete, explained The Place of Athletics in the Schools, and did it from the standpoint of an athlete. He submitted some good food for thought on the part of principals and School Directors. The Modern Knights of the Round Table that Miss Josephine Porter told about convinced those present that chivalry still lives while those of Scotch ancestry swelled with pride during J. R. Davidson, Jr.'s oration on The Influence of the Scotch in America.

Some humor was injected into the otherwise dignified proceedings when the donations were made. All sorts of amusing presents were made the various members of the class, and these were made even more ridiculous by the keen wit of William Myers and Miss Eva Fries, the donors. The exercises ended with the Valedictory and presentation of diplomas.

The members of the graduating class were:

Marguerite Brennan, Claire Bryner, Eva Fries, Mae Gilmore, Helen Goldsmith, Emma Harrison, Mary Higgins, Loretto Laffey, Gertrude McHugh, Anna Mary Marshall, Camilla Munk, Josephine Porter, Fidelis Reinhard, Cora Sisley, Lessalena Stillwagon, Emma Joe Stillwagon, Elsie Welbe, Harry Ashe, Eugene Bishop, Wendell Carroll, Harold Clasper, J. R. Davidson, Jr., Roger Evans, John Golden, William Myers, Henry A. Porter, Ernest Snyder and John Thomas.

Miss Helen Goldsmith led the class this year and Miss Mae Gilmore was second. Third place went to Miss Elsie Welbe, fourth to Miss Fidelis Reinhard, while fifth was held by the only boy on the honor roll, Henry Porter.

Unveil Monument Monday.

Arrangements have been completed for the dedication on the Gettysburg battlefield next Monday of the monument to commemorate the services of the regular army of the United States in the Gettysburg campaign. Miss Helen Taft will unveil the monument. President Taft will arrive at Gettysburg Monday from Pittsburg.

BURGESS TO GET $1,000.

Salary Squabble at Washington, Pa., Is Finally Ended.

WASHINGTON, Pa., May 26.—After months of controversey the salary of W. H. Hoyt, chief burgess of Washington, has been fixed by Council at $1,000 a year. An effort was made to reduce it to $650 and, when that failed, a compromise of $900 was suggested.

It is said by those who favor a reduction that the question will be taken to the courts, it being held that the salary as fixed is illegal.

CHURCH FOLKS MEET AT FAIRCHANCE

Eighteenth Annual Session of Pittsburg Conference Began at Fairchance Yesterday.

The eighteenth annual convention of the Pittsburg Conference of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Methodist Protestant Church convened yesterday afternoon in the Methodist Protestant Church at Fairchance, with about 100 delegates present. At the afternoon session addresses were made by Revs. J. H. Lambertson of Sheridanville; T. M. Gladden of Fairchance; A. E. Fletcher, of Knoxville; F. N. Foster of Pittsburg; J. S. Leland, of Uniontown; T. W. Colhour, of Elderslville, Pa.; O. H. Boughton, of Kittanning, and C. H. Hubbel, D. D., of Adrian, Mich. Rev. J. H. Lucas of Pittsburg addressed the session last evening.

Devotional services this morning were followed by the open parliament led by the Rev. F. C. Velie of Uniontown, Pa., after which a business session was held.

This afternoon's services will include the conference on Sunday School work. The Rev. E. S. Hawkins of Castle Shannon will speak on "The Bible, Its Importance as a Book." "The Main Object of the Sunday School," will be the subject of an address by the Rev. Dr. S. K. Spahr of Pittsburg. This evening the convention will come to a close. The address of the evening will be delivered by Dr C. E. Wilbur, editor of the Sunday School periodicals. Special song services have been arranged for the final service and consecration services will be led by the Rev. W. Gladden.

The officers in charge of this movement are: The Rev. J. H. Lambertson, President of the Pittsburg Conference Union; the Rev T. M. Gladden, Corresponding Secretary; the Rev. W. A. Curtman, Convention Chorister. A great national convention will be held at Lansing, Mich, June 10-13

TO COMPEL SHERIFF TO TAKE PRISONERS

Greensburg Council Will Bring Legal Action Against Sheriff Shields To Settle Question.

GREENSBURG, May 26.—The borough Council hold a session last night and among other items of business the proper authorities were instructed to take charge of borough prisoners in case Sheriff John E. Shields refuses to take charge of borough prisoners properly committed to the county jail. At the last meeting of Council the Sheriff presented to Council a bill for boarding prisoners at the rate of 25 cents each a day. Inasmuch as the jailer is only allowed 12½ cents a day for boarding county prisoners by a recent ruling of the court, Council thought that the borough should not be taxed a greater rate than the county. The bill was accordingly returned to the Sheriff for correction.

When Chief Burgess McConnell sent his next batch of prisoners to jail the Sheriff refused to take charge of them. Members of Council argued that as the Chief Burgess has the authority of a committing magistrate he is compelled to accept all borough prisoners.

PLANK FELL ON FOOT.

John Roland Meets With a Most Painful Accident While at Work.

John Roland, eldest son of Constable and Mrs. William Roland of Trotter, was the victim of a very painful accident with which he met yesterday afternoon. He let a heavy plank fall on his foot. One bone was broken, and the ligament torn loose from the inside of the ankle. He will be confined to his home for several weeks.

THOUSANDS OF CHILDREN ATTEND SHADY GROVE.

They Flocked to Shady Grove Park This Morning and Made the Welkin Ring With Their Merry Cries---Great Day for The Courier and the Park.

Thousands of children are having the time of their lives at Shady Grove park today. It was the formal opening of the park season and to give the event the proper recognition, The Courier organized its picnic for the school children. Was it a success? Just take a run up to Shady Grove this afternoon and see for yourself.

More than 3,000 children left Greater Connellsville this morning in care of parents and teachers, and it was necessary for Superintendent J. W. Brown to put 13 extra cars in service. As some of those cars made several trips, the loads of children hauled to Shady Grove at the expense of The Courier numbered nearly 30.

Every youngster was armed with a ticket entitling him to one ride on the roller coaster and another on the merry-go-round. Those two amusements were the center of interest all day, while the other attractions were well patronized by the kids who saved their pennies in anticipation of the outing.

Last night was a busy one in many homes. Lunch baskets were filled with delicacies and then the youngsters piled off early to bed in order that they might get up with the sun this morning. Long before the appointed hours the children began to assemble at their schools and by the time the cars left all were on hand.

From the Pinnacle, the South Side, the Second Ward, the West Side, South Connellsville and Greenwood there was a constant stream of youngsters from an early hour this morning until leaving time. And, when the big cars drew up to be loaded, there was a frantic and concerted rush for places on board. More than once the car was loaded and left many behind to wait for a later one.

Superintendent Brown and Division Superintendent C. E. Fife took charge of the car service, assisted by Dispatcher Charles Michaels. They got the cars out in good time and there wasn't a hitch. It was a busy day for the West Penn, too, because Barnum & Bailey's made it necessary to run 11 extra cars on the Greensburg division. The big show, however, didn't do the business in Greensburg that Shady Grove did with the Connellsville school children.

Manager R. S. Coyle, who has charge of Shady Grove Park, was a busy man all day. He and his able corps of assistants worked like Trojans to give every child, mother, teacher, brother and sister a great time, and they succeeded beyond their greatest expectation.

The park this year is better than ever before and great improvements have been made since last year. The transformation which took place over the winter surprised those who were familiar with the park in the past while the children went into ecstacies of delight at the many attractions offered them.

The first car reached the park at 8:15 and since then every car has left a large delegation. Up to noon picnickers were still flocking to the outing.

MAN WANTED HERE IS AT ALTOONA.

District Attorney Henderson Notified of Albert Beals' Arrest

HE ROBBED MANY STORES

There Is a Dispute Over Who Will Get Him First as Greensburg Authorities Have Charges Against Him. Served Time and Got Away.

UNIONTOWN, May 26.—District Attorney D. W. Henderson was notified this morning by Chief of Police Clark of Altoona that Albert Beals, alias Richard Beals, and Harry Harvey, both from Fayette county, have been arrested in Altoona and six watches and considerable jewelry was found on them.

Harvey is not known here but the authorities want Beals, who is alleged to have robbed several stores in Connellsville, Dunbar, Mt. Braddock and Uniontown during the fall and winter of 1907. True bills were returned against him but he made his escape. He was sent up from Greensburg to the workhouse but got away from there before the officers could get him again.

The Westmoreland county authorities want him for recent robberies and there is a dispute over which county will land him first. The informants against Beals are C. E. Gaddis, Grant Myers, Max Cohen, A. W. Smith and Augustino Minisote. Fayette county authorities will use every effort to have him brought back here for trial.

NORTH RESIGNS CENSUS POSITION

E. Dana Durand Has Been Named His Successor—Feared He Would Not Be Successful.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26.—Director S. N. D. North has resigned from the Census office. Official announcement of his leave taking was made public at the White House today, in the following statement: "Director North has tendered his resignation as Director of the Census. It was accepted and E. Dana Durand now Deputy Commissioner of Corporations has been chosen to succeed him."

North's resignation is based on the grounds, that on account of the conditions existing and likely to continue, he feared that his administration of the Census office would not probably have been sucessful.

Autoists Arrested.

Dr. E. R. Rasely, W. F. Frederick and William Gans were arrested for speeding their automobiles in Uniontown. They were discharged and reprimanded by Burgess McCrum.

Seventeen Pups at One Time.

Giving birth to 17 puppies in one litter, a bird dog belonging to David Lemon of Wickboro, has established a record in the vicinity of Kittanning.

NO MORE VAUDEVILLE AT SOISSON THEATRE

Town Too Small to Make the Venture a Financial Success, So It Falls.

Vaudeville at the Soisson theatre is at an end, for the present, at least. The Clabaugh brothers, who took charge of the venture a few weeks ago, decided to give up the proposition, as it was not profitable. Connellsville, experienced show people say, is not large enough to support a vaudeville house, and this was what the Clabaugh brothers discovered.

High class attractions were given, with a change twice each week. The bills were expensive and the receipts were not coming up to the cost of the acts, the house expenses and other bills. Manager Fred Robbins, who dropped a wad on a similar proposition last summer, permitted the Clabaugh's to cancel their contract with the house and escape a heavy loss.

Manager Robbins will go west in a few days and will remain there several weeks. Upon his return he will make arrangements to open the house again but along what lines he has not yet determined.

The vaudeville acts at the Soisson will be missed by the many patrons who were regular attendants. While it can it gave the public full value for the price of admission.

RECLUSE'S HOME RAIDED.

Great Collection of Junk Furnishes Material for Bonfires.

WEST NEWTON, Pa., May 26.—At the instigation of the local and State Boards of Health, the premises of Lafayette Mellender, Water street, are being put into sanitary condition. Mellender is said to have a mania for collecting papers, rags, old carpet, bottles, jugs and other odds and ends, which he stores in his house, where he lives alone, and in outbuildings. The house is said to be filled from floor to ceiling, with narrow passage ways between the stacks of junk.

The contents of the buildings are being burned and the buildings themselves razed. Things stored in the house will be added to the bonfires.

REV. BECKETT NOT GUILTY.

Acquitted of Charge of Disturbing Religious Worship.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 26. (Special.)—After a sensational trial on a charge of disturbing religious worship, Rev. J. R. Beckett, a Methodist minister, was found not guilty today.

Beckett was charged with having attacked W. T. Cochran, a member of the congregation with a poker during a Sunday morning service until Cochran was covered with blood and the church bespattered with it.

Appointed Viewers.

In the matter of a road in German township where a petition asking for the vacation and substitution of a piece of road made dangerous by the railroad, the court appointed L. D. Woodfill, J. H. Honsacker and Elliott Christopher viewers.

Go to New Salem.

A detail of 20 members of the Boys' Brigade of Uniontown, will attend the Memorial services at New Salem.

The Weather.

Showers tonight or Thursday; moderate temperature, is the noon weather bulletin.

REAL RIVAL NOW TO STEEL TRUST

Wall Street Says $750,000,000 Corporation Is to Be Formed at Once.

ORGANIZE HOLDING COMPANY

Scheme Has Strong Financial Backing in Both New York and Pittsburg—Leading Independents and Individual Firms to be Taxen Over.

United Press Telegram

NEW YORK, May 26.—A real rival to the United States Steel Corporation, comprising most of the independent steel and iron companies in the United States and having a capitalization of $750,000,000 is to be formed at once, according to an unusually well informed Wall street source.

The plans contemplate the formation of a holding company, which will take over not only the principal independent steel companies, but several individual companies of recognized strength.

Those backing the proposed corporation now include a big Pine street banking house, a leading firm of brokers and a Pittsburg bank. These men are powers in the financial world, it is said, and have the munitions of war necessary to carry on the project.

It is believed that the proposed merger of the independent coke companies of the Connellsville coke region is a part of the general scheme to form a combine to rival the United States Steel Corporation.

HUSTON'S TRIAL IS SET FOR SEPTEMBER

Harrisburg Court Would Learn Decision Higher Up Before Going Ahead.

United Press Telegram.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 26—Judge Kunkel today granted a continuance of the trial of Architect Joseph M. Huston, charged with conspiracy in connection with furnishing the State Capitol, from June 15 to the September session.

Huston's counsel made the motion and there was no objection as the court desires to hear the decision of the Superior Court on other cases before it entered the trial of another involving the same detail.

SHOW HANDS FIRED.

Before They Got Through Justice Frank Miller Had Lots of Work.

In all 23 circus hands did not leave town with John Robinson's circus, fearing the men planned to jump to Barnum & Bailey's show, which is in Uniontown tomorrow, Mr. Robinson fired them all.

Then came a dispute over wages into which Justice of the Peace Frank Miller was drawn. He succeeded in straightening the matter out, the men settling on the company's terms after they had demanded some extravagant sums.

PATIENT BECOMES INSANE AND LEAPS TO DEATH FROM WINDOW.

Hamilton Parker of Hecla Was at Mt. Pleasant Hospital for Chronic Alcoholism.

JEWISH HOLIDAY.

Festival of Shebuoth Is Being Celebrated By Jews Today.

The Jewish Festival of Shebouth is being observed by the Jews of Connellsville today.

Shebuoth commemorates the delivery of the Ten Commandments to Moses on Mt. Sinai, or the calling of the Jewish people to spread the law of the Lord among the people of the earth. In this way they were confirmed by the Lord, hence the modern observance of the holiday.

POLICE MAKE BIG HAUL OVER NIGHT

Show and Carnival Keep Force Busy and They Garner Many Drunks.

The police were kept busy yesterday between the circus and the carnival. William Patterson of Detroit was arrested by Officers Stillwagon and Francis for being drunk and using profane language. He admitted the charge and was sentenced to 72 hours. Thomas Smith was arrested by Baltimore & Ohio Officer Russel for being drunk. He was released on paying a fine of $2 and promising to go to his home in West Newton.

Thomas Ryer of Piedmont, W. Va., arrested by Officer Harry McCormick for being drunk was sentenced to 48 hours in the lockup. Lewis Rago, of Ohiopyle, was arrested by Baltimore & Ohio Officer P. Moran for trespass and loitering was discharged. Robert Miller, colored, of Rankin, arrested by Officer O'Bryon was given 15 minutes to leave town. The last seen of him he was running a Marathon down the Baltimore & Ohio tracks. William Osborne of Scottdale, arrested by Officers Rulli and Stoner for being drunk and lying on the streets, left his watch as a forfeit. John Smith, arrested by Officers Stillwagon and Stoner, a workman with the Robinson show, was sentenced to 48 hours for being drunk.

JOSEPHINE OUT ALL NIGHT ON A LARK

Fourteen-Year-Old Italian Girl Taken In This Morning By the Police For Street Walking.

Josephine Magna, a 14-year-old Italian girl of the West Side, was arrested at an early hour this morning by Officer P. M. Rulli on the charge of street walking. Josephine had been out all night with some man, it was charged, and Rulli arrested her after complaint had been made by her mother, Marie Ritaza.

According to Mrs Ratza, Josephine is incorrigible and should be sent to Morganza. Although but 14, she is married to Thomas Holbert, who works at Elm Grove. The husband left four days after Easter, following a row in which his wife's brother got decidely the worst of it. Josephine does not use her husband's name.

The mother says Josephine was on her way to Sticket Hollow, where she expected to live with another man. Burgess Evans ordered the police to investigate the case thoroughly.

MAY NOT FACE TRIAL

Illness of James L. Smith Causes Another Postponement of Cases.

The Rinehart jury-fixing conspiracy case, which was set for trial yesterday morning before Judge Charles P. Orr in the United States District Court, was again postponed on account of the alleged illness of James L. Smith, one of the defendants. The other defendants, George W. Worley, a brother-in-law of Rinehart, and John Echard, were on hand.

Judge Orr decided that a final date for the trial must be set for tomorrow.

It is believed, however, that the case will never come to trial, as Echard has already pleaded guilty, and it was whispered about in Federal Court circles yesterday afternoon that Smith and Worley will plead nolle contendre.

Following Dream Directions.

Samuel E. Stimeling, aged 45, formerly of Johnstown, who has been missing from his home in Steelton since Thursday, is being searched for in the Susquehanna river, because a relative, Mrs. Cyrus Lyter, of Harrisburg, dreamed she saw him along the river.

NURSE LEFT ROOM A MOMENT

Parker Then Went to Window and Leaped Out, Falling 60 Feet—Death Resulted Within a Few Seconds After the Accident.

MT. PLEASANT, May 26.—Attacked with a sudden fit of insanity, Hamilton Parker, aged 45, of Hecla, who was confined in the Mt. Pleasant Hospital suffering from chronic alcoholism, leaped from a second story window of that institution yesterday and was almost instantly killed by his 60 foot fall.

Parker was brought to the hospital last week for treatment and was given a room on the second floor of the main building. His room faced the Baptist Church. The nurse left him for a moment yesterday and an instant later he rose from his bed, went to the window and raised it, and, no one being present to restrain him, leaped to the ground.

The drop was fully 60 feet and the impact with the pavement below inflicted several injuries, any one of which might have proven fatal.

The nurse returned just in time to see the man's body disappear from the window. She called at once but Parker was practically dead. The body was removed to Zimmerman's undertaking establishment. An inquest was held by Coroner H. A. McMurray of Youngwood and resulted in a complete exoneration of the hospital authorities.

Parker was married and leaves a wife and family living at Hecla. The funeral was held this afternoon.

GREATER SAFETY IN OPERATION OF CARS

Subject Discussed at Meeting of Trolley Men and Inter-State Commerce Representatives.

Superintendent J. W. Brown of the West Penn, a member of the Rules Committee of the American Street and Interurban Railways Association, returned this morning from Washington, D. C., where, yesterday, he attended an important meeting of that committee. The street car men were in conference with the Interstate Commerce Commission and intended to meet, at the same time, several State railroad commissions. The Pennsylvania State Railroad Commission was the only one to be represented.

Many matters affecting the operation of cars with a view to attaining greater safety was discussed. The Pennsylvanians were greatly pleased that the Keystone State was represented at the meeting after the other States, which had been making considerable noise about the matter, failed to appear.

Following the conference Mr. Brown went over to Baltimore and closed a contract for the stock company which will appear at the Olympia Park theatre this season. He says it is a good one.

NO PROGRESS IS MADE TOWARD ENDING STRIKE

Central of Georgia is Tied Up, Disorders Increase and Towns Suffer.

United Press Telegram.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 26.—No apparent progress toward the settlement of the firemen's strike on the Central of Georgia railroad was made last night by the conference between General Manager Scott, Vice President Ball of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Charles P. Neill, United States Commissioner of Labor, who feel hopeful that the continuation of the conference might bring satisfactory results.

Scott was in conference with Governor Smith this morning and the Governor is sai dto have made it plain that the railway official expected the strike to be brought to a speedy termination. The tieup continues complete and the resulting inconvenience is tremendous. Mayor Brand of Lithonia, a town on the Central of Georgia, said today that if provisions ran short he would order the seizure of several car loads of provisions now stranded along the road and if they are not checked soon another appeal will be made to the Governor to call out the State militia.

MORAN HOTEL TO CLOSE FOR REPAIRS

Court Grants Petition For Closing It Up For Sixty Days—Routine Court Matters.

UNIONTOWN, May 25.—The petition of James Moran, proprietor of the Moran Hotel to close his hotel while making repairs was granted by the court, and the hostelry will be closed to the public for 60 days. The court stated that a further extension of time would be considered if the repairs were not completed at the end of that period.

Judge Van Swearingen directed attention to the fact that Monday, May 31, was to be kept as Memorial Day, and that the barrooms and breweries would be closed on that day instead of on Saturday, May 29.

Attorney J. B. Adams filed the divorce libel of, Sander Gyory against Lidia Gyory, alleging desertion and infidelity. The couple was married in Hungary, April 13, 1898, and have been living for some time at Vance's Mills. In February, it is claimed, the actions culminating in the divorce petition occurred. The correspondent named is Joseph Giricz.

Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen leaves this morning for Pittsburg, where he will hand down his opinion in the case of Charles S. Cameron, President of the Tube City railroad, who was convicted in connection with the Councilmanic graft exposure a year or so ago. It was stated in Pittsburg yesterday by District Attorney William A. Blakeley that he had received word from Judge Van Swearingen to this effect and he notified Cameron and his attorneys to be in court at the time.

In the equity case of the Brier Hill Bush, former Brownsville hotel man, the court handed down orders yesterday making absolute rules for judgment for want of sufficient affidavits of defense. The orders were made in the cases of C. Sunstein & Sons, $1,150.95; B. J. Thalheimer, $371.57; and W. A. Edmiston, cashier, $1,093.05.

In the equity case of the Brier Hill Coke Company against the Greensboro Gas Company, to restrain the defendant company from drilling a gas well through the plaintiff's mine, the hearing fixed for yesterday was continued until next Tuesday, to permit several Pittsburg attorneys, who are interested, to appear.

In the case of Frank Campbell, defendant below, against Loma Campbell, plaintiff below, the court dismissed the certiorari at the cost of the defendant below, Frank Campbell. The judgment, secured was about $300 for rents collected by Campbell for Loma Campbell.

In the case of John Hungard and Joe Emerson the bail was continued until the court. Court then adjourned to meet next Tuesday, June 1.

BIG CROWDS FLOCK TO SEE CARNIVAL

Hatch Shows Are Doing Big Business In Connellsville This Week.

Large crowds are attending the great J. Frank Hatch Carnival which is showing this week at the Silko under the auspices of the Tenth Regiment Band. The Hatch carnival was here several years ago and needs no recommendation, as it is one of the best known and largest shows of the kind outour, carrying over 200 people and being transported in its own train. There are a number of new attractions this year and novelties never before being attempted with a carnival show. There are fourteen attractions including the animal show, the Indian Village, the Monitor and Merrimac, Ocean Wave, Picture Theatre, Colored Theatre, Katz Castle, Helping Hand, Crazy House, Karlo, Parisian Belles, Merry-Go-Round and Ferris Wheel.

The Indian Village is one of the star attractions. It consists of 11 male warriors, seven squaws and their papooses. Their performance consists of "Ghost and Snake Dances," and their amusements peculiar to their race. The wild animal performance is also a great drawing card. The menagerie department consists of lions, tigers, hyenas, bears and Wallace, the man-eating lion, each and every one trained to do an act that is beyond belief. Music is being furnished throughout the week by the Royal Italian Band.

Foreign Business.

The place to transact Foreign business of any kind is in the Foreign Department of the First National Bank of Connellsville, where all languages are spoken, steamship tickets sold, letters of credit and travelers cheques issued and money forwarded anywhere in the world promptly and safely. Only steamship agency in this section that is direct agent for "Mediterranean Tours" as well as ports in Continental Europe.

Lover Shoots Himself.

From a bullet wound alleged to have been self inflicted, following a quarrel with his sweetheart, Marshall Perler of Washington, Pa., aged 23, is in a serious condition at the Memorial Hospital at Monongahela.

Charged With Assault.

John Blakely, charged with assault by Mrs. J. M. Choates, his landlady, was arrested at Pt. Marion and is now in jail. Mrs. Choates declares that Blakely committed the assault while intoxicated.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Supt. Schaeffer Sets Dates for Meetings This Season.

HARRISBURG, May 26.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction Nathan C. Schaeffer has issued a bulletin announcing dates of teachers' institutes in Western Pennsylvania this year as follows:

Allegheny county, at Pittsburg, August 23; Armstrong, Kittanning, December 27; Beaver, Beaver, December 27; Bedford, Bedford December 13; Blair, Hollidaysburg, December 6; Butler, Butler, December 20; Cambria, Ebensburg, December 20; Clarion, Clarion, December 20; Clearfield, Clearfield, December 13; Crawford, Meadville, December 27, Erie, Erie, August 30; Fayette, Uniontown, December 20; Forest, Tionesta, October 18 Greene, Waynesburg, October 18; Indiana, Indiana, December 20, Jefferson, Brookville, December 20, Lawrence, New Castle, November 18; Mercer, Mercer, August 30; Somerset, Somerset, November 22; Washington, Washington, December 20, and Westmoreland, Greensburg, December 20.

City Institutes are announced as follows:

McKeesport, December 27, Johnstown, August 30, and Sharon, December 27.

The examinations at the Western Pennsylvania State Normal schools will be held as follows:

Slippery Rock, June 22; Indiana, June 23, California, June 24, Edinboro, June 24, and Clarion, June 11.

EARTHQUAKE SHAKES THE EASTERN STATES

Illinois and Wisconsin Both Report Tremors. Some Violent, That Occurred Today.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 26.—(Special.) An earthquake shock lasting about a second shook several parts of Illinois this morning. The damage is slight. At Pontiac and Freeport the quake was rather violent. Windows rattled and articles were shaken from the walls. At Aurora the shock overturned a stove starting a fire, resulting in small damage.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 26.—Cities all over southern Wisconsin are reported a slight earthquake shock this morning. The earthquake reported is noticeable especially in and about Elgin, Ills., and as far West as Davenport, Ia.

BERLIOT, Wis., May 26.—(Special.) The entire Rock River valley experienced an earthquake shock this morning. The damage is slight.

FOUR MILLS TO START AT OLD MEADOW

District Manager Skemp Receives Good News This Morning for Scottdale Workmen.

SCOTTDALE, May 26.—District Manager Robert Skemp of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company this morning at 11 o'clock received orders to resume work in the four mills at Old Meadow mill plant. The plant has been idle since the latter part of 1907. Orders were also received to start two pots in the galvanizing plant June 15, or earlier if possible.

The two will give work for upwards of 300 mill men, many of whom have been without employment for months. It is the intention to start the Old Meadow mill Sunday night. Some small repairs it is expected are necessary and this may delay it a day or two, besides a number of workmen will have to be called from a distance, having secured work in other towns.

DECORATION DAY

Monday, May 31st, Ashtabula Harbor. $1.75 Round Trip.

Special trains via P. & L. E.; for particulars see W. H. Thomas, Ticket Agent.

The Sure Route to Prosperity.

Some people are so eager to make money quickly that they invest their hard earned dollars in risky speculation and much money is thus soon lost. The sure route to prosperity is by way of a bank account, and it will delight you to see how much money you can save by making regular deposits in the Citizens National Bank. 4% interest paid on savings accounts. Citizens National Bank, Connellsville, Pa.

Train is Again Attacked.

At the same spot, near New Kensington, where last Saturday night a beer bottle was thrown through a coach window on an Allegheny Valley passenger train, a stone last night smashed a window in the smoking car of the Buffalo express. No one was hurt. Detectives are now watching the place.

Lieutenant Mills Resigns.

Second Lieutenant George E. Mills, has resigned from Company C. Mills is a carpenter and gives his reason for resigning his impossibility to reach Uniontown on drill nights.

Alarmed Over Disappearance.

Friends of George Chelnos, a Greek confectioner of New Castle, are alarmed over his disappearance, following his receipt of threatening letters demanding money.

Altoona is Chosen.

READING, Pa., May 26.—(Special.) The State convention of the Degree of Pocahontas today selected Altoona as the meeting place in 1910.

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In Social Circles.

Old Folks' Reception.

Among the many social functions planned for the week is a reception for the old folks to be held tomorrow afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church by the King's Daughters. A large number of invitations have been sent out to the old folks of town and if the weather continues to be fair it is likely that most of the old folks receiving invitations will attend. The hours are from 2.30 until 5 o'clock. Nothing is being left undone by the committee in the way of entertainment for the old folks. Carriages will be sent to the homes of all the aged who are unable to walk to the church and at the conclusion of the reception they will be conveyed to their respectives homes.

Similar receptions have been held for the old folks by the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church and have always been a great success. A special musical and literary program has been arranged and a number of impromptu addresses will be given by many of the old folks. A banquet will be served at the conclusion of the program.

Closing Meeting of IXI Club.

The closing meeting of the IXI Club for the current season was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Purinton on North Pittsburg street. Four tables were in play and at the close of the games the prizes were awarded to Mrs. G. C. Hyatt and H. S. Schenck.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, G. C. Hyatt, and Vice President, Mrs. R. S. McKee. The club will resume its meeting in September. The meeting last evening was one of the most enjoyable ones of the year.

Baby Show on Friday.

A baby show will be given Friday afternoon in Pritchard's hall under the auspices of the Cradle Roll Department of the Christian Sunday school. The hours are from 2.30 until 5 o'clock. Mothers with decorated buggies will be admitted free while all buggies not decorated will be left downstairs. There will be a man on hand to look after buggies. Two prizes will be given for the best decorated buggies. An admission of ten cents will be charged. Children under 12 years of age will be admitted for five cents.

Six O'Clock Dinner.

Beautifully appointed was a 6 o'clock dinner last evening given by Mrs. Edward Trimbath at her home at Morrell Pink and white carnations formed the attractive centerpiece. The guests present were Mr and Mrs. G. W. Gordon of Scottdale, Mr. and Mrs. Pamas Hayes of Waynesburg, Mr and Mrs. Edward William of Connellsville; Mr and Mrs. J. R. Forken, and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Williams, of Morrell.

Epworth League Will Meet.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Katherine Raudman on Seventh street, West Side. All members are requested to attend. The meeting will be preceded by a meeting of the A. F. J. Society.

Mrs. Cunningham Will Talk.

The Woman's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist Church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the church chapel. The meeting is the regular monthly one and all members are urged to attend. Mrs. W. D. Cunningham, a returned missionary, will address the circle.

Aid Society Will Meet.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sol Palmer on South Pittsburg street. A large attendance is desired.

Aid Society Meets.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church met last evening at the home of Mrs. Cleveland Warrick on Isabella street. Many ladies were present and transacted the regular routine business of the society.

Ladies' Circle Will Meet.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Circle No 160, G. A. R. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' hall. All members are requested to attend.

U. V. L. Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Union Veteran Legion will be held tomorrow evening in the Borough building. A large turnout of veterans is desired.

L. C. B. A. Will Meet.

The semi-monthly meeting of the L. C. B. A. of the Immaculate Conception Church will be held this evening in Soisson's hall.

LOCAL ITEMS; PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Virgie Spence of Mt. Pleasant, has returned home after a visit with friends here.

J. M. Carson and Mrs. F. R. Dilts of Scottdale, were here last evening attending the funeral of the late William Carson.

Miss Eleanor Marshall is shopping in Pittsburg today.

Miss Alice Neal, teacher in the High School, will return to her home at New Castle tomorrow, where she will spend her summer vacation.

Cloyd Evans of Frostburg, Md., returned home yesterday after a visit with friends here and at Scottdale.

Miss Clare Flanegan of East End, Pittsburg, and John Harrigan of Parkersburg, W. Va., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Harrigan, on the South Side.

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Mrs. I. B. Brailler and Miss Elizabeth Friedline of Scottdale, were the guests of friends here yesterday.

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Mrs. John Thomas of Dawson, was shopping in town yesterday.

Mrs. Clayton Rittenhouse and two children of Uniontown, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Alva Plessol, of Greenwood.

Miss Mary Dushane left yesterday for Atlantic City where she will sojourn for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Whiel and family left last night for Versailles where they will make their future home.

Miss Clara Diffatt was calling on friends in Uniontown yesterday.

E. S. Ray was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Fred Hetzel, a student of the High School, will leave Friday morning for Gettysburg where he will spend Memorial day, after which he will go to New Rochelle, N. Y., where he has secured a position.

Miss Sarah Morrison, commercial teacher in the High School, left this morning for her home in Michigan. During the vacation season she expects to take in the Pacific-Yukon exposition at Seattle, Wash.

A. D. Oberly, property engineer of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, was here on business this morning. His headquarters are in Scottdale.

William Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Allen of the South Side, is recovering from a severe siege of measles.

Mrs. N. M. Scott of Dunbar, was the guest of friends here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Port, Robert Norris and Daniel Mills witnessed the baseball game in Uniontown yesterday.

B. S. Forsythe, President of the Fayette County Sabbath School Association, was in town yesterday on his return home from Pittsburg.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lucas is the guest of friends at Fairchance.

Mrs. Richard Stoner of Dickerson Run, was the guest of friends here yesterday.

C. L. Work was in Pittsburg yesterday on business.

Mrs. T. J. Jameson returned home on Monday from a visit in Pittsburg.

Mrs. C. H. Kimball of Dunbar, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Miss Helen Flenniken of Dawson, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Laughrey of Dawson, was the guest of Mrs. William Porter, of the West Side, yesterday.

Miss Nannie Patterson is home from Slippery Rock Normal for her summer vacation.

DIED.

W. Woods.

BROWNSVILLE, May 26.—W. Woods, the well known stone mason, 65 years old, died yesterday at his home in Brownsville township. He is survived by his wife and several children. Funeral at the late home Thursday at 2 o'clock.

William Carson.

Funeral services were held last evening at 7 o'clock over the remains of the late William Carson. The services were largely attended and the floral tributes numerous and pretty. Rev. E. A. E. Palmquist of the First Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. A. J. Ashe, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, officiated. Interment this morning at Washington cemetery at Perryopolis.

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Do you know how this taste is spreading—the taste for Puffed Wheat and Puffed Rice? The demand has doubled in the past three months. Every morning some ten thousand new homes enjoy these delightful foods.

Most people try Puffed Wheat and Puffed Rice from mere curiosity, probably. They want to see these novel foods—the foods that are shot from guns.

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The kernels of grain are expanded eight times, without breaking the coats or changing the shapes. As a result we have giant kernels of grain, made porous and crisp and digestible.

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These are ideal foods for hot weather—for breakfast, luncheon or supper. They are hearty and satisfying, yet they tax digestion less than any other foods one can eat.

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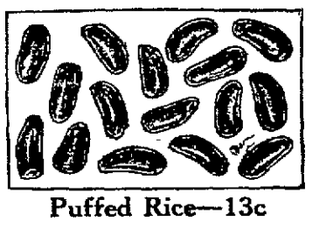

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New Haven.. 1.00	8.23 A. M.	New Stanton... 1.00	9.08 A. M.
Connellsville... 1.00	8.26 A. M.	Youngwood.... 1.00	9.12 A. M.
Everson..... 1.00	8.41 A. M.	Pittsburg, Ar.....	10.25 A. M.
Scottdale..... 1.00	8.44 A. M.		

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Bulletin.

SUMMER TRIPS AFAR AND NEAR.

Summer days are coming fast. Already vacation days are being discussed in the home and in the office, and in a few weeks the annual exodus to country, seashore and mountain will have been begun.

America abounds with delightful summering places, in valley, on mountain and beside the sea—thousands of resorts whither wend the pilgrims in search of pleasure and recreation.

Pennsylvania Railroad ticket agents now have on sale excursion tickets to the greater number of these resorts; by the first week in June there will be about eight hundred points covered by Pennsylvania Railroad summer excursion tickets.

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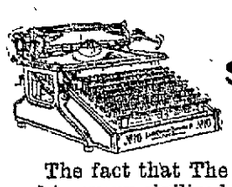

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The News of Nearby Towns.

NEW POSTMASTER NAMED BY TAFT FOR ST. LOUIS.

The appointment of Thomas J. Akins to be postmaster at St. Louis is the first change in a big postmastership since the inauguration of the Taft administration. Mr. Akins will take his new post on June 1. He is now assistant United States Treasurer at St. Louis. For many years he was chairman of the Missouri Republican State Committee and since 1904 has been Republican national committeeman from Missouri. He formerly was in the banking business at Humansville, Md.

MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, May 26.—William Eicher has been appointed cheer leader for the Excelsior Philo Literary contest which will be held in the Grand Opera House next Tuesday evening and when that event comes off that society will surely give some rousing cheers.

James Harkins has opened his new drug store in the Spielker building and it is now one of the nicest in town.

The skating rink will close a very successful season next Monday evening and Manager H. Waldeck will make many improvements on it during the summer.

The Julia Rebecca Lodge No. 332 will in a body be the guests of their sister lodge of Greensburg, Thursday evening. A special program has been arranged for the occasion.

Miss Mabel Bowman, who was operated on in the local hospital for appendicitis last week, is gradually improving and will be able to be around within a week. Appendicitis seems to be a popular fad at present as six people have been operated on in the local hospital within the past week.

A petition is out for the paving of Cherry avenue in the East End and although the street is not very thickly inhabited there is many reasons for its being paved. The West Penn lines enter and leave town on this street and during the rainy season the mud is so deep as to almost stop pedestrians. Most of the residents on this street have signed the petition and it is thought that it will be presented to Council at its monthly meeting next Tuesday evening.

The bricks gave way above the large sewer manhole on Main street at the corner of Hitchman street this morning and Street Commissioner W. D. Mullin had several men at work repairing it at once. The foundation of the manhole was wooden and had rotted away and was not able to sustain the weight of the bricks. Mr. Mullin will have a brick foundation put in which will last for a considerable length of time.

Repairs are being made on the block of tenement houses owned by Mart Ridenour of Pittsburg, which are located on Main street.

Politicians from all over Westmoreland county practically monopolized the attention of local business men yesterday and made calls on other political friends. Squire Hugh Henderson of South West Greensburg and candidate for Clerk of Courts, E. G. Hacker of Grapeville, candidate for Jury Commissioner, and Charles E. Crowell of Greensburg, were among the politicians that were here yesterday.

Dr. Mary L. Cox was calling on friends at Greensburg Tuesday afternoon.

John McCormick, James McCormick, William Fultz, James Bellinger and Charles De Vaux attended Barnum and Bailey's circus at Greensburg today.

Mrs. James Harkins and son, James, Jr., were calling on friends at Connellsville yesterday.

George Wolfe, Earl Cunningham and Frank Hinzman were calling in Connellsville yesterday.

Hugo Close is a juryman at Greensburg this week.

Victor Moyamont returned to this place today following a short business trip spent at Pittsburg.

C. L. Kuhn and daughters Misses Myrtle and Opal spent Tuesday with friends at Pittsburg.

Miss Virginia Anderson was visiting relatives at Jeannette yesterday.

Chief of Police Kellar was visiting his brother policemen at Greensburg yesterday.

Miss Catherine Ruth spent Tuesday as the guest of Mrs. George Fritts of Scottdale.

Charles Ringler has been appointed an extra conductor on the West Penn.

Miss Catherine Polonofski was calling on friends at Scottdale Tuesday.

Miss Virgie Spence is calling on friends at Greensburg today.

Percy Stone was calling on friends at Scottdale yesterday.

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CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Courle of Fort Hill, who have been spending a few weeks in Alabama visiting friends, passed through town Monday on their way home.

Mr. Coder of Ursina, was a business caller in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. VanSickle of Ursina, were in town calling on friends last evening.

Jack Hawke, the policeman, who has been spending a two-weeks vacation with friends in Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., and New York City, has returned home.

The Confluence band held their regular weekly rehearsal Monday evening. Prof. Edwin Beals of Ursina, was present.

Messrs. Ernest McDonald and Bruce Dold are doing some painting at Dumas for Henry Mease.

Isaiah Morrison of Sugar Loaf, was a business caller in town Tuesday.

James Scott of Ursina shipped a car load of fine horses from this place Monday.

James Colburn, a cattle dealer of Draketown, was transacting business in town this week.

Mrs. Clay Dean and son Kenneth returned home Monday evening after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Marsh, in Connellsville.

Mrs. Kuhlman of Ursina, is spending a few days in town the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Coughenour.

Mrs. Andy Wilson of Henry Clay township, was in town shopping Tuesday.

Hon. H. M. Kephart of Connellsville, was riding around in his new auto this week.

Miss Bertha McAlpine of Dumas, was the guest of Miss Nellie Keyser recently.

Mrs. William Barnworth and two children, Ruth and Lucille, spent the day with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Reihle, in Charleston, on Monday.

James Sharp, a B. & O. employee, of this place, who has been confined to his home for several months, is able to be out again.

The Junior Order of this place and the soldiers are planning for a big day here the 30th, which will be celebrated Saturday. The Sunday School scholars and teachers are to meet at their Sunday School rooms at 9 A. M., and each one will be supplied with a flag and will march and meet the 10 o'clock train, after which the exercises will begin.

Rev. A. R. Travis conducted the quarterly communion services at the Paddytown M. E. Church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. P. Stickel of Indian Creek is spending a few days in town the guest of her brother, Grant Tissue, and sister, Mrs. Steve Garletts.

Mr. Fish, formerly of this place now of near Somerset, was calling on friends in town several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Butler of Connellsville, who were the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Louisa Wagner, several days last week returned home.

Read the advertisements carefully.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, May 26.—Mrs. Ned Scott was shopping in Connellsville Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Tissue and daughter Theona, of Ohiopyle, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stewart, of Speers Hill.

Miss Pearl Eicher left on Monday for Garrett, Somerset county, where she will be the guest of friends and relatives for a few days.

Misses Jean and Ella Byers were the guests of friends in Connellsville on Monday.

Squire A. C. Duncan was a business caller in Connellsville Tuesday.

Max Salenski is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Mrs. Birdie Kelley was shopping in Connellsville Monday.

Mrs. Theodore Hockey was the guest of friends in Uniontown Monday.

Miss Mary Warnick was the guest of friends in Connellsville Monday.

Mrs. Samuel G. Martin was the guest of friends in Uniontown Monday.

Maurice Kendall of Masontown, was here on Monday transacting business.

Dominick McClure, of the West Side, Connellsville, was here on Tuesday transacting business.

Mrs. I. M. Hodgkins and daughter, Pauline, of Perryopolis, were here on Saturday the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bunting.

Henry Goldsmith, the insurance man, from Connellsville, was here on Tuesday transacting business.

Mrs. C. C. Miller was the guest of friends in Connellsville Tuesday.

Robert Gaddis has accepted a position as boss at the local brick plant of the United Fire Brick Company and assumed his duties Monday.

Emanuel Kinsbursky returned home Tuesday from a visit with friends at Oil City, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Gordon of Lemont, was here Tuesday visiting friends.

J. Kinsbursky of Connellsville, was here on Tuesday transacting business.

Miss Sue Cottom was visiting friends in Connellsville Tuesday.

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SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, May 26.—Samuel Nell and wife of Mt. Pleasant, are the guests of Mrs. S. A. Johnson and daughter, Da Brownfield.

Mrs. Niles, mother and sister, Mike Covelicheck of Fairchance, George M. Probst of Pittsburg, were registered at Black's Monday.

G. A. Feather has bought two fine flags in preparation for Memorial day, one is 8x12 and the other 5x8 feet. They will be displayed from a line stretched across Main street from his store to the Stewart corner, opposite side of the street.

Harry Kreps of Uniontown, was in the borough Monday.

Jules Quirtimont and family of Pt. Marion, passed through the borough Monday.

W. A. Tibbs of Baxter's Ridge, was a business visitor Monday.

Louis Fee of High House, was in the borough Monday getting a writ to dispossess a delinquent tenant.

Dr. R. D. Howard of Fairmont, was here a short time Monday.

A. J. Smith, Commander of Jerry Jones Post, No. 511, G. A. R., was in the county seat Tuesday on business connected with Memorial day.

Rev. Father Glening of Pt. Marion, was the guest at supper of Mrs. C. A. Greenell and family, Monday.

The Cornet Band will have a refreshment stand on the public square Memorial day.

Guy Nims, Judson Grim, Harry Ewing and E. R. O'Neil spent Saturday night exploring Panther cave. They arrived home about noon Sunday.

Jesse H. Stewart was in from Nicholson Monday.

T. O. Showalter says there was a light frost along York Run Sunday morning. There was none in Smithfield on the hill.

THOMAS C. PLATT'S SON FIGURES IN U. S. EXPRESS SUIT.

A hot battle is on, backed by the minority stockholders of the United States Express Company, to oust ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt and his sons from control of that property. A large number of the stockholders employing eminent counsel, seek to force Edward T. Platt, treasurer of the company, to permit chartered accountants to examine the books of the corporation. Six members of ex-Senator Platt's family hold stock in the company, of which he is the president.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, May 25.—Joseph Stoltzer, a well known and popular resident of Summit township who is just now recovering from a severe seige of illness departed on train No. 11 this morning for Roscoe, Washington county, where he will spend two weeks recuperating as the guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. H. H. Saylor.

Dr. D. P. Kurtz spent today at Johnstown on professional business.

LeWard Pollard who conducts a drug store at Garrett transferred this morning from the Duquesne Limited to the "buck," having returned from a visit to West Virginia where he had gone several days ago to examine into several coal properties. He was well pleased with the several tracts examined and with others may decide in the near future to invest in the State.

A Kapesh, a merchant from Frostburg, Md., was here on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brant came over from Berlin Sunday in their new automobile and spent the day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Landis of Large street.

J. C. Begley, editor of the Berlin Gleaner, was circulating among among friends here today.

M. E. Klare of Clearfield spent Sunday and yesterday visiting his brother, J. F. Klare of Meyers avenue.

Louis Cohen of Johnstown was transacting business at this place yesterday.

Samuel Steinbach of Somerset, a prominent official of the Somerset Coal Company was here yesterday on business pertaining to the company.

Ex-County Commissioner Samuel W. Poorbaugh of Glencoe was the guest of friends here today.

Geo. R. Snyder of Connellsville was registered at the Hotel Slicer on Sunday.

J. C. Miller, a prominent Salisbury druggist, was here on a business visit yesterday.

Postmaster J. F. Naugle returned last night from a two days' visit to Pittsburg.

Garrett W. Parsons spent Sunday and yesterday with parents and friends at Romney, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haselbarth returned yesterday to their home at Salisbury from a visit to the latter's relatives at Friedens and other points in the north of the county.

John Knecht of West Salisbury was a business visitor to Rockwood yesterday.

Roscoe Welfley of Salisbury, who represented his home lodge at the State encampment of the I. O. O. F. at Harrisburg, returned yesterday greatly pleased with his trip.

Mrs. Stella Walker and lady friend of Pittsburg visited the former's mother, Mrs. Samuel Imhoff, yesterday.

Memorial Day exercises this year will be held on Sunday under the auspices of M. C. Lowry Post No. 214, G. A. R. The principal service of the day will be held in Union Cemetery at 1.30 P. M.

The members of Meyersdale Lodge No. 76, Loyal Order of Moose, are holding their inaugural smoker in Reich's hall, Broadway street, tonight. Many of the high dignitaries of the order are expected to be in attendance.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, May 25.—Several foreigners engaged in a fight at Paul Saturday evening. One foreigner got his skull fractured, another his face cut up. Four of the participants were arrested and committed to the borough bastile. They had a hearing before Justice of the Peace R. E. McLaughlin Sunday morning, each one being fined $8.50 each.

William Means was a Connellsville caller Monday.

William Johnson, Jr., was looking after business matters at the County Seat on Monday.

Mrs. David Hanam is on the sick list.

Mrs. Goodburn of Trotter spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Daniel Gallagher.

POINT MARION.

POINT MARION, May 25.—Miss Blanche McClain was visiting in Morgantown Tuesday.

Herman Stratton left this morning for Pittsburg to visit his parents.

J. E. Quertinmont left for Belgian Tuesday, where he will spend a couple of months.

Frank Lintzell was a business caller in Uniontown Tuesday.

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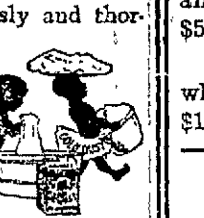
Gold Dust is soap "with its working clothes on"—good, honest, vegetable oil soap, ground fine and blended with other purifying materials. It cleanses vigorously and thoroughly without taxing your strength, and with no injury to garments.



BERLIN.

BERLIN, May 26.—Albert Swartzendruber is having his residence on North street treated to a new coat of paint.

About 10 of the social set of town gathered at the Club room in the Brallier building last Friday evening and spent several hours at cards and social games.

Memorial day will be observed in Berlin Saturday, May 29th, by Mark Collins Post, G. A. R. A parade by the old veterans, sons of veterans and visitors, of [illegible] will be a chief feature. [illegible] The address at the [illegible] will be delivered by the Rev. W. C. Sykes of the Reformed Church. Singing by the Lutheran and Reformed choirs.

Mrs. A. J. Rodisill returned home from an extended visit to relatives and friends in the Eastern part of the State.

The members of Mark Collins Post, G. A. R., and Sons of Veterans attended divine services in a body Sunday morning at Trinity Reformed Church where they listened to an excellent sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Sykes.

Rev. A. J. Rodisill is attending the sessions of Somerset county conference of the Evangelical Lutheran Church which meets in Shanksville from Monday to Wednesday of this week. Casper Lykin is also in attendance being the delegate from the congregation of town.

A. C. Miller was a business visitor to Somerset and Friedens Monday in the interests of the Co-operative Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Born, Thursday, May 20, to Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Zorn, a son. Mother and child are doing nicely.

P. L. Zorn returned from Harrisburg where he was in attendance at the Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F., representing Berlin Lodge, No. 461.

John Chl of Somerset, was a Berlin visitor Sunday.

Fred Groff was in Somerset Monday and Tuesday attending court.

Homer Fritz of near Pine Hill, was in town Saturday evening on business.

W. H. Betts of Williamsport was in town several days calling on the members of the I. O. O. F. and taking orders for a chair he is offering for sale.

R. C. Heffley and A. R. Dallam attended court at Somerset Monday.

Miss Fayette Sykes returned home Monday evening from a ten days' visit with friends in Cumberland, Md.

Mrs. Fred Groff and two children were visitors in Rockwood Monday.

NORMALVILLE.

NORMALVILLE, May 26.—Mrs. William F. Whipkey is seriously ill.

Dr. M. H. Shupe and wife of Connellsville, were here Sunday. The doctor was attending to professional business.

Dr. S. P. Brinker visited Connellsville and Greensburg friends over Sunday.

Wade Johnson and family, Mrs. William Stinterman and family, Clifford Johnson and wife, James and Walter Prinkey and son Nelson, were Connellsville business callers Tuesday.

Dr. Donald D. Brooks is home from the University of Pittsburg for his summer vacation.

John M. Hall of Vanderbilt, came up Sunday to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Hall.

Jerry Feinstone and Norval Channing are the proud fathers of young sons that came to their homes recently.

The Grand Army Post met Saturday and completed the final arrangements for Memorial day, Saturday, May 29.

The School Board met Saturday and transacted some business of needed importance.

Mrs. Godfrey Keefer of near Broad Ford, visited her daughter, Mrs. William Channing, over Sunday.

John M. Stauffer, who bought the late James M. Gallentine property, is making many needed improvements and when completed will have a very pleasant and attractive summer home. Mr. Stauffer and family will soon come up from Scottdale to take possession of their new home.

Mt. Mack and wife and sister-in-law of Mt. Pleasant, came over Saturday and remained until Sunday at the Brooks House. They enjoyed the mountain scenery and good air to its fullest extent and will come again. Mr. Mack is superintendent of the Standard mines at Mt. Pleasant.

William Sweitzer has returned home after a week's visit with his son James, near Greensburg.

Frank Livingstone, treasurer of the Board of Supervisors, will be in Normalville Monday afternoon, May 31st, to receive taxes from any who wish to pay. You get 5 per cent. discount.

Rev. Litchworth will preach to the Grand Army Post next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, in the M. E. Church.

Braden M. Brooks has bought from his father, D. H. Brooks, the home farm situated north of this place.

One Cent a Word

Is all that it costs you to advertise in our classified column. Try it.

Wash Suits for Summer!

Sturdy and Beautiful Everyone.

We are especially prepared to meet the needs of well dressed women in these ever needful and pretty Summer garments.

Every fabric which will measure up to the standard of goodness we demand for our Suits, is represented.

Suits of Linen, Remay, Reps, imitation Linen, and other wash stuffs for which the tub holds no terror. They are modeled after the garments the "early Spring" resorts delighted in, the flowing designs predominating.

No women with a sense of responsibility to her purse can afford to miss seeing these splendid garments. Suits from $5.00 up to $25.00.

We also have a complete line of natty stylish Wash Skirts which have all the goodness that makes the suits desirable $1.00 to $15.00.

Special

Fashionable Walking Suit of fine quality Linon, coat 38 inch length; semi-fitting back, three fancy pockets, inlaid collar; new model sleeve with flare cuff. Full gored skirt with fold and deep hem, colors, pink, blue, tan and white, all sizes. Regular $7.50 values. Special this week

$4.95

Special

A Great Waist Offer

Made of the sheerest lingerie, trimmed with wide straps of imitation baby Irish lace with beautiful yoke and collar. In this offer are plain tailored with tucks. A good value at $2.00. Special for this week.

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Special

Tailor-Made Wash Suits

Made of the popular and splendid washing striped suiting, in a 36 inch semi-fitted back. Extremely full gored skirt with deep plaits in back, comes in all colors and sizes. Regular $8.50 values. Special for this

$5.40

Any Cloth Suit in Our House Reduced

FELDSTEIN'S

Foremost in Fashions for Ladies and Misses.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, May 25.—Mrs. R. J. Horton, daughter Freeda and son Roy, who have for the past week been on a visit with relatives and friends in Scalp Level, returned to their home on Church street Tuesday evening.

William Blacka of Scalp Level is making a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Horton and family of this place.

Mrs. A. J. Colborn departed last evening for Connellsville and surrounding towns to make a short visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. W. Holt, who has for the past few days been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Collins, of Connellsville, returned to her home on Commercial street Tuesday.

There will be a dance held at the Ferncliff park pavilion on Decoration Day and evening.

Mrs. John Rush, accompanied by her step-daughter, Miss Helen, of Montana, W. Va., arrived in town Tuesday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Evans Rush. Miss Helen will spend a few days on a visit with her grandparents. Mrs. Rush returned home last evening.

Mrs. John McNair, after making a short visit with relatives and friends in Confluence returned to her home near here last evening.

Miss Blanche McNair of Somerset county is making a short visit with relatives and friends at and near here.

Mrs. Mary Cunningham of near Belle Grove was shopping and visiting Ohiopyle friends yesterday.

Miss Myrtle Bailey of Whig Corner was the guest of friends and relatives in town Tuesday.

IN MEMORIAM.

Sidney H. Patterson, died May 18, 1909.

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst by death, our beloved Brother, Sidney H. Patterson.

Whereas, By his death Dunbar Lodge, No. 410, Knights of Pythias, sustains the loss of one of its most loyal and respected members. One whose clean, pure life has ever been an honor to this body; therefore, be it

Resolved, First, That we hereby express our deep sorrow because of his loss, but bow humbly to the will of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, Second, That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and ask God to comfort and be with them in their affliction until the dawning of that Eternal morning which shall reunite them.

Resolved, Third, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Lodge; also, that it be published in the county papers, and also that a special copy be presented to the family of our deceased Brother.

J. T. BRADLEY,
C. M. McGEE,
A. McVEY,
Committee.

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Memorial Day.

The Grand Army Veterans and their friends will meet in Hill Grove cemetery next Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of placing flags on the graves of soldiers buried there, and will then go to Chestnut Hill cemetery and perform the same duty there.

It is expected that a large number of veterans and citizens will visit the cemeteries both on Sunday and Monday and it would be well for those having lots to have them put in good shape. Many of the lots are kept trim and neat, but a larger number are in a very bad shape. Some of the graves of old worthy citizens are so hampered, with briers and brambles that you have to beat down the brush to see the names on the tombstones; other lots are sadly disfigured with old dead trees, the branches of which are falling among the weeds and grass beneath them. Living trees have been allowed to grow from year to year without pruning until the verdure beneath their shade has been utterly destroyed making the surroundings unsightly. Dozens of tombstones have toppled over and lie among the rubbish.

There is a duty we owe our dead, and while we cannot bring them back to us again, we can keep them in remembrance by caring for the place where rests their mortal dust.

A CITIZEN.

Novelties for May Shoppers

GREAT BARGAIN SALES.

Going on daily at every Union Supply Company store in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny counties. Women looking for the latest styles and the lowest prices should steer straight to one of our stores. They are all crowded with remarkable bargains. There are handsome Shirt Waists, many new styles of Dress Goods—if you cannot find what you want at the Union Supply Company stores, you certainly are hard to please.

Tell Your Feet and Watch Them Hurry

When you tell them about the elegant styles of Women's Shoes at $2.50 and $3.00, offered by the Union Supply Company stores, you know two things: First, that the real saving is there; Second, that the real Union Supply Company quality is there. There is a special line of shoes in every one of our stores, made expressly for us, every pair guaranteed; if not satisfactory we will replace them or refund your money.

Tell your feet and watch them hurry.

UNION SUPPLY COMPANY.

63 DEPARTMENT STORES

Located in Westmoreland, Fayette, Allegheny Co.'s.

If You Want to See, See Me.

I use the best instruments of the age for eye testing. With my improved methods of testing the eye, I use no drops or drugs. Lenses mounted neatly in becoming mountings, and spectacle frames, broken lenses replaced on short notice, at Larkins' Optical Parlor, 401 Second National Bank building, Connellsville.

Sarcastic.

Senior Waiter (to rather green assistant at a recent banquet in a celebrated London hotel)—Now, then, young man, do a bit o' somethink, and don't stand a-gaping and staring there as if you was the bloomin' guest o' the hevenin'.—London Mail.

DIG, SAYS DR. STEFFEN

And Don't Depend on Millionaires, He Tells Presbyterians at Denver.

Denver, May 26.—"Let Rockefeller and Carnegie alone. Go into your own pockets for college endowments," was the advice of Dr. J. C. Steffen of Dubuque, Ia., in an address before the general assembly of the Presbyterian church.

The report of the committee on administrative agencies was adopted substantially as submitted by Dr. J. D. Moffatt of Pittsburg. The principal recommendation is that each church board obtain legal advice as to the enlargement of its powers in order that the consolidation of the boards may be accomplished gradually.

Dr. W. L. McEwan offered the report of the board of home missions, showing that the amount received—$1,073,971—was the largest in the history of the church. He asked for $800,000 for the work of the coming year.

Snow in South Dakota.

Deadwood, S. D., May 26.—Following a heavy rain for two days, snow set in in the Northern Black Hills. At Portland snow is three inches deep.

The Daily Courier.

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WEDNESDAY EVE'G., MAY 26, 1909.

THE JUDICIAL CAMPAIGN AND THE LICENSE LAW.

The petition of Candidate Dumbauld asking the court to revoke the license of a Uniontown hotel because some of its employes were electioneering for Candidate Umbel, will scarcely receive serious consideration.

It is true that the court has declared in times past against holders of liquor licenses being perniciously active in politics, and the intention of that declaration was excellent; but The Courier has always held that it VIOLATED THE POLITICAL RIGHTS OF THE LICENSEES, and was a sample of that large and growing volume of JUDGE-MADE LICENSE LAW which is WELL MEANT, but which is WITHOUT CONSTITUTIONAL WARRANT.

The rules of court regulating the political conduct of holders of licenses are not binding upon the latter save only as an IMPLIED THREAT that, unless they are observed, the court may, when the applications of the intractables are under consideration again, exercise its right of legal discretion and REFUSE THE SAME WITHOUT ASSIGNING THEREFOR ANY REASON THAT WILL BE REVIEWABLE IN THE HIGHER COURTS.

The license of the Uniontown landlords will not, therefore, be REVOKED on account of any part their employes, or even themselves, may take in the primary election this spring, because THIS IS NOT A LAWFUL REASON FOR REVOKING A LICENSE, and a license may not be revoked for any other than a lawful cause.

Candidate Dumbauld doubtless knows this as well as anybody else. His legal proceeding is not directed against the Uniontown hotel, but against his opponent, who as Judge, if he did not make this license ruling regarding politics, gave it his emphatic endorsement in the campaign of 1907.

The effort of the present proceeding is evidently to turn the ruling against Judge Umbel in his own campaign. To be consistent, Judge Umbel must maintain the same position in this campaign as he did in the campaigns of 1907, and we doubt not that he will do so; but he will not revoke anybody's license because of his political position, FOR THE REASON THAT HE CANNOT LAWFULLY DO SO.

CONNELLSVILLE BOROUGH SHOULD PROTECT ITS OWN.

The proposition of Councilman Thomas, that the borough authorities take steps to settle in the courts the conflicting contentions relative to the taxable status of the citizens of Snydertown, East Park and Greenwood, is proper and timely.

We have taken these sections into the borough. The process of annexation is complete. We expect to give them fire protection, police protection, public schools, street improvements, and in all respects to treat them as brethren; and as brethren, it is our duty to protect them against the dangers of such unjust taxation as double taxation.

While we think all the equities of the case lie with the borough and against the townships, and that the decision should be with the borough and against the townships as a matter of right and justice; yet, whatever may betide, it is clearly the duty of the borough to care for and protect its own.

And the more promptly this is done, the better it will be done.

CONNELLSVILLE STARTS ITS VOTING RIGHT.

The appointment of a full set of election officers for the five eastside wards of Connellsville confirms the opinion expressed some weeks ago by The Courier that this would have to be done to guard the coming elections, both primary and general, from the charge of irregularity.

The consolidation of Connellsville and New Haven created a new borough with a new set of wards without providing election officers for the same. The election officers chosen for Connellsville and New Haven in February were chosen for different political divisions, and could not consequently serve in others newly created. The consolidation of the two boroughs put these officers out of business.

The vote of Connellsville is of prime importance, especially at the coming primary, and the authorities were wise to remove any possible cause of contention after the votes are cast.

Connellsville starts its voting right.

We are pained to note that the able artist of our esteemed contemporary, The News, in his latest effort in the pictorial line, inadvertently omitted The Courier Picnic in depicting the attractions of Connellsville this week. We hope that when The News gives the children an outing the alert artist will not overlook it.

The candidates are occupying so much of the floor today that there is hardly standing room for the editor.

New York reports a dry goods merger. We are almost up to date in the coke region.

The Connellsville school children are all at Shady Grove having a good time today. We sincerely hope the Weather Man will be as good to them as the Courier Man has tried to be.

It required all the power of the West Penn to pull off The Courier picnic.

The graduating class of the Connellsville schools was the largest in history, and the girls had the boys skinned a mile in ability. The girls are always smarter than the boys, but they seldom keep it up while the boy never stops.

Connellsville is loaded with attractions this week, but there's always something doing at the Center.

The merger hen seems to be setting in New York this week.

The patient who leaped to death from the Mount Pleasant hospital didn't appreciate the benevolent intentions of that institution.

This is not apparently a vaudeville town, at least not yet.

Robert E. Umbel, Candidate for Democratic Nomination for Judge.

Advertisement.

He is not and never has been pledged or committed to the one-term rule.

The policy generally recognized throughout the State to reelect Judges will in this instance operate to the advantage of the people of Fayette county; his experience will be of inestimable value in looking after and caring for the public interests.

The people know that he is competent and qualified and that he has always been prompt, earnest, faithful, impartial and fearless in the discharge of his duties and has decided all matters coming before him strictly in accordance with his understanding of the law and the facts.

He has always been an earnest, consistent Democrat and has the confidence of all political parties and there is a strong conviction being freely expressed to the effect that if any Democrat in the county can overcome the large Republican majority and be elected to this important position, he can; and that is the reason why practically all of the Democratic lawyers and the workers throughout the county, who have the interest and success of the party at heart, are earnestly for him.

Announcement of Alfred E. Jones.

Advertisement.

The following public statement is made by me because of the many inquiries of me personally and of reported rumors as to my purpose, position and attitude in this campaign:

I am a candidate for the nomination of Judge on the Republican ticket in absolute good faith. If nominated, I will be the candidate for the Republican party for that office until and on election day, November 2, 1909, in absolute good faith. Let there be no suspicion in the mind or anxiety on the part of any one to the contrary.

I have not been, and will not be, a party to any agreement, deal or understanding by which a majority of the voters of Fayette county shall be deprived of the opportunity to vote for a candidate of our party.

No one has the authority from me to use my name or my candidacy to further his own interests. I have not and will not say one word or do one thing to help either Democratic candidate get that nomination. That is a matter for the Republicans should be ready and willing to do all that can be legitimately done to win regardless of whom the Democrats nominate.

In support of this statement, I invite you to observe my conduct day by day during the campaign as evidence of my sincerity.

If nominated and elected, I will be fair to all persons, all concerns, all interests, and will, conscientiously, to the best of my ability, under the oath of office, administer the law as it is written upon the statute books.

Republican voters are respectfully urged to attend the primary. Good government, the fair, just and impartial administration of justice depend entirely upon the loyalty of our citizens to a sense of duty. I suggest that you make no promises until after the primary and both sides are heard.

Respectfully submitted,
May 26, 1909. ALFRED E. JONES.

Announcement of H. S. Dumbauld

Advertisement.

To the Democratic Voters of Fayette County:

I again appeal to you for help on June 5th next. I urge you to give me this nomination, both for my own sake, and the sake of the Democratic party.

The Democratic party is, in fairness, entitled to one Judge out of the three in Fayette county. All Democrats believe this. Many Republicans concede it. Many Democrats and many Republicans believe in the one-term rule. Three times in recent years have the Republicans of Fayette county gone on record in favor of the one-term rule. At the primary in 1897, Reppert over Ewing, at the general election in 1899, Umbel against Ewing; and again in 1909, Van Swearingen against Reppert.

Republican voters have refused to vote for a second-term Republican. Why would the same Republican voters desert their party to vote for a second-term Democrat? How can a Democrat be elected in Fayette county without Republican votes? How can Judge Umbel consistently expect, at the November election, the support of any Republican who voted against Judge Ewing and Judge Reppert. To do so such Republican must not only vote against his principles, but against his party.

Why not make room for the hundreds of Republicans who believe that the Democrats should have one Judge, but who believe at the same time that twenty years is too long for one man on the bench; why not nominate me, and give no Republican an excuse for voting to deprive the Democratic party of a representative on the bench?

Answer the above questions honestly, and see if they don't point the way to the best interests of Fayette County's real Democracy and also to my nomination.

H. S. DUMBAULD.
Uniontown, Pa., May 26, 1909.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted.

WANTED—BOARDERS AT 217 WEST CEDAR AVENUE. 23may2td*

WANTED—MORE STRENGTH. TAKE Vinol. Money back if not satisfactory. GRAHAM & CO.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—APARTMENT, 6 ROOMS and bath. Apply J. N. RUTH, Colonial National Bank. 1martf

FOR RENT—TWO 6-ROOM HOUSES on First street, West Side. Call 198 TRI-STATE. 19maytf

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOM, with bath; rate, $5 per month. Apply 208 SOUTH PROSPECT. 20mayltd*

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE; bath, gas; hot and cold water. Fruit-bearing trees. $10.00. REAR KING'S STORE. 15may-tf

FOR RENT—RUTSER BANK BUILDING, Main street. Enquire of J. L. KURTZ, Citizens National Bank. 21mayttd

FOR RENT—OFFICE ROOMS IN the Central Hotel Building. Inquire of M. J. KELLY, Central Hotel, Scottdale. 14may-tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; down stairs. Apply 913 SOUTH PITTSBURG ST. 22mayltd

FOR RENT—4-ROOM HOUSE, BALDWIN avenue; 5-room house, South alley; 6-room house, Cedar avenue. Cheap rents. ROBBINS & HOOD. 14mayeod-tf

FOR RENT—TWO 5-ROOM HOUSES, with water and gas; one 6-room house, with water and gas, and one 4-room house; all good location. Apply YOUGH PLUMBING CO., 126 West Peach street. 21aprtf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—SADDLE HORSE, FINE single-footer. Address, J. N. RUTH, Connellsville, Pa. 17martf

FOR SALE.—A PERFECT FITTING, permanently shaped suit to order for $18 to $25. DAVE COHEN, Tailor. 3

FOR SALE — LESTER PLAYER piano; slightly used. Easy terms. P. R. WEIMER, 129 East Main street. 20mayltd

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY store; cheap to quick buyer. VOSCHECK & MULAC, corner Eighth and Main streets, West Side, Connellsville. 26may2td*

FOR SALE—TWO MODERN RESIDENCES on Sycamore street, South Side. Lots 40x130, finish graded and walks down. Houses 8 rooms, bath, cemented cellars; water, gas and electricity. Terms to suit purchaser. CONNELLSVILLE CONSTRUCTION CO., 402 First National Bank Building. may 21-24-26-28

Found.

FOUND—REAL SATISFACTION IN Kryptok lens. One place for young and old. GRAHAM & CO.

Dissolution Notice.

THE PLUMBING BUSINESS OF MRS. Elizabeth Fitzmeier and Roy Templeton, under the firm name of Fitzmeier & Templeton, South Pittsburg street, Connellsville, Pa., has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzmeier having purchased the interest of Roy Templeton and will continue the business at the old stand, and will be responsible for all bills owing by the old firm of Fitzmeier & Templeton, and all bills due the firm must be paid to her.

ELIZABETH FITZMEIER,
ROY TEMPLETON.
May 24, 1909. 25may8td

Public Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED, ASSIGNEE OF Abraham Warshall, insolvent, will offer at Public Sale, all the right, title and interest of the said Abraham Warshall, in and to all that certain stock of groceries, confections, tobacco, cigars, queensware, tinware, crockery, etc., at the premises, on North Pittsburg street, Connellsville, Pa., near the P. R. depot, on Thursday, May 27th, 1909, at 3 o'clock P. M.

TERMS OF SALE:—Strictly cash.

S. R. GOLDSMITH,
Assignee of Abraham Warshall.
may24-25-26

FOR POOR DIRECTOR,

SOLOMON J. HONSAKER,

of Masontown.

Subject to the Republican Primary, June 5, 1909. Your vote and influence respectfully solicited.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania—Showers today and Thursday; moderate to brisk east winds.

To Interest You

These advertisements are written to interest you. If they do not they are a failure as far as you are concerned. Month in and month out we have been writing these with the thought that perhaps we might interest you. Might get you to pay this store a visit and get acquainted with the goods we have here and learn something about the prices. We think that this store should be your home store and that you would be glad to so consider it once you knew this store as we want you to know it. Its for your pocketbook's sake we want you to call it your home store. For if in some ways we could not serve you better than you can be served elsewhere we would not deserve your trade and we don't want a bit of your trade that we do not deserve.

NEW NECK WEAR.

Showing this week some of the prettiest new collars we have ever had to show at prices around 25 and 50 cents. Dainty creations of lace and lawn and embroidery that you'd expect to pay much more for than the prices at which they are marked. Showing some of these in first case as you enter the store.

NEW PARASOLS.

You'll want one of these parasols once you see them. Never had so many pretty ones to show, nor prices ever so reasonable. Starting at $1.00 and from that on up to $8 and $9 with the most around $3.50 to $5.00. If you've a parasol thought you should see these.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

Call particular attention to the showing this week of Children's dresses in sizes 2 to 6 years. Prices from 50 cents up to $5 and $6. Dresses made by people who understand how to make children's dresses just as you would have them made. Materials that are of the best possible for the money. Nothing skimped. Skirts made full and wide. Trimmings neat and good. Like to have you see this showing.

LADIES' SILK HOSE AT $1.50 THE PAIR.

Lisle foot and top. Fast colors black and tan. A better silk stocking than we've had to show you before. Onyx brand.

SUIT BARGAINS.

Most of these suits we have here at half and less than half original prices and at original prices they are marked close. Want to get rid of the balance of these suits just as soon as we can and we've some suit bargains here that will astonish you. If you've a suit want let us show you what $10.00 or $15.00 will buy at this store now.

VUDOR SHADES.

Think how much porch comfort Vudor shades will mean to you. Just now we have these in 4-6-8 and 10 feet widths. Colors dark green, olive, and mottled brown. Prices $2.25, $3.00, $4.00 and $5.50. If you'll be needing porch shades this season don't put off buying too long.

9 BY 12 BODY BRUSSELS RUGS.

More of those $27.00 and $30.00 rugs to show this week. Best quality full five frame Body Brussels. Patterns that are new and striking. Colors that you can depend upon. A rug of quality. We call particular attention to these rugs.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street,
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

W. N. Leche

Ladies' Man Tailored All Wool Suits in This Spring's Styles and Shades

AT

HALF PRICE.

Specials for This Week:

Pillow Cases. Size 42x36 inches Bleached Pillow Cases regular 15c values. Sale Price 11c

Bleached Sheets Size 81x90 inches Bleached Sheets of a heavy quality of muslin with welded seam. Regular price 58c. Sale Price 52c

Pillow Cases. Size 45x36 inches, extra heavy linen finish Bleached Pillow Cases, regular price 15c straight. Sale Price..... 12c

Torchon Lace. Torchon laces, 2,000 yards all widths, never sold anywhere for less than 5c the yard. Sale Price 3½c

Pillow Cases Size 42x36 inches Bleached Pillow Cases, Mohawk make, with plain hem. Regular 25 values. Sale Price 20c

Dress Trimming. Dress trimmings of all sorts grouped in two lots. First lot is ..... 10% Off 20% on the second lot of Dress Trimming.

Bleached Sheets Size 72x90 inches made of good quality muslin, with welded seam. Regular 50c sheets. Sale Price 47c

Embroideries. Beautiful new line of Corset Cover Embroidery just received. Regular 25c values. We will offer these for a few days at 19c

106 WEST MAIN STREET.

HIGH GRADE Ladies' Footwear.

Ziegler Bros. and Edwin C. Burt.

Ladies, if you are interested in shoes of distinctive style—shoes that are away from the ordinary shoes sold in every shoe department in Connellsville—if you are interested in good shoes, we would like to show you our Zeigler Bros., and Edwin C. Burt Shoes and Oxfords, Patents, Tans, Gun Metal Calf, and Black Suedes, Heavy and Light Soles. Made by two factories who have a reputation of making the finest shoes in America.

$3.50 $4.00

Come in and let us show them to you. A look will convince you we have the choicest footwear you will see anywhere.

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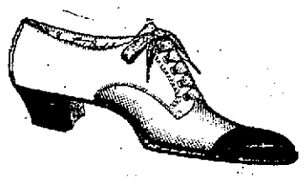

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SCOTTDALE'S BIG DAY SATURDAY.

Fine Prizes Offered for Independent Ball Team's Opening Game.

INDEPENDENCE DAY SUCCESS

Meeting Last Night Assures The Big Celebration in July—Buttermore To Manage Geyer Opera House. Commencement Is Tonight.

SCOTTDALE, May 26.—The event of the week is the opening game to be played by the independent baseball team, with the speedy P. V. A. C. of Pittsburg at Ellsworth park on Saturday afternoon. The game will be at 3 o'clock, and preceding it there will be a big parade over the principal streets of town. The independent team is composed of the best baseball talent of the town and vicinity. The parade will form in front of the Central Hotel at 2 o'clock. It will be headed by a brass band, followed by the two contesting teams, the Burgess and Town Council and the newspaper men in automobiles, the other baseball teams in uniform, and citizens. The parade will march from Pittsburg street to Chestnut street, to Loucks avenue to Broadway and out Broadway to the park. There will be a field day meet at the park, with a number of prizes offered for various events, open to amateur baseball players in Scottdale and vicinity.

The events and prizes are: For long throw, one pair elk skin baseball shoes by C. A. Colborn; for circling bases, two Spalding League baseballs by the Scottdale Bank; for 50 yard dash, $3 coat sweater by Grazier & Hurst. All desiring to be entered in these contests should write or file their names with S. R. Rutherford not later than Friday night.

In addition to the above, the following prizes will be offered to Scottdale players: First hit, box of tobies from Steiner Brothers; first two base hit, two Gold Medal hats from Scottdale Savings & Trust Company; first three base hit, one pair of baseball shoes from J. W. Wiley & Son; first home run, $3 hat from J. C. Trimble; first score, fine umbrella by H. H. Hurst & Company. The lady in the grandstand who receives the lucky number will receive a shirt waist set presented by Kuhn & Son, the jewelers. S. R. Rutherford is manager of the Independent team, and it promises to help make things interesting in the local baseball world.

Commencement and Banquet.

A hundred or more people watched the lifting of a piano up to the fourth story window on the Reid block, the piano being taken by W. J. Bartell with ropes on the railroad side of the building last evening. The piano wagon was driven up along the tracks and the piano lifted up to the great height. It was taken up for the Alumni banquet of the Scottdale High School which will be held in the hall this evening after the commencement exercises. Commencement exercises will be held in the Geyer Opera House tonight. The speaker will be Edwin E. Sparks, President of State College. Yesterday afternoon the Class Day exercises were held in the opera house and were charming.

Two Places On Decoration Day.

The old Craft Band has two places which demand them for Memorial Day services and it has been found necessary to split the band. Manager J. C. G. Brownfield of Scottdale and half of the band are going to Addison while the other half of the large band will go to Fayette City.

The Religious Census.

The religious census taken on Friday evening shows that there are 26 church denominations represented in town, by membership and preference. There are 4,935 who expressed their church preferences, 1,986 of them being under 18 years of age, 3,188 attending church at least once a month and 4,094 attending Sunday school regularly. By preference the Methodist denomination leads with 1,216 preferring that branch and Roman Catholic second with 517.

Takes Geyer Opera House.

E. J. Buttermore, who has made a success of the Family Theatre on Broadway, is transferring his energies to the Geyer Opera House, the management of which he takes on next Monday, where he will conduct a vaudeville and moving picture show of even higher class than he has had in the Family Theatre. He will have the management of the house this coming season and expects to have some first class attractions. There are vaudeville shows in the Geyer theatre the rest of this week.

Fourth July a Go.

At a well attended meeting held in the Borough building last night the reports of the committees showed that marked progress has been made in the project to have a rousing old time Independence Day celebration in Scottdale on Monday, July 5. The Finance Committee upon whose success the success of the other committees depend reported that they had assurances of about $600 to expend on having the castle scream in good shape. All the committees reported progress and some made the following estimates of what they may need in the way of money to carry out the plans that they have on hand. Amusement, $375; music, $175; advertising, $75; parade, $60, and decorations, $10. The Town Council has promised to donate $100 to the celebration if it is held, and this is the largest single donation yet heard of. A. J. Geyer is chairman of the parade committee and this morning asked that anyone having a horse, wagon, wheelbarrow or anything else that will make a feature in the parade, report to him. It is the idea to have a more grotesque parade than usual, the parades in the past having been magnificent affairs of floats, etc., and it may be this year will have more of the element of fun in it. There will be another meeting held in a week.

Strawberry Festival.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Scottdale M. E. Church will hold a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival May 29th in the Eicher & Graff building, afternoon and evening.

BARNES GIVEN A YEAR

Famous Blevins Murder Clue Furnisher Sentenced to Jail.

Franklin, Pa., May 26.—Frank Barnes, alias Addison Ruth, who has been furnishing alleged clues to the Lawrence county authorities regarding the murder, a decade ago, of City Treasurer John Blevins, was sentenced to jail for one year less a day. He had pleaded guilty nearly a year ago to robbing an aged woman.

Members of the Franklin Christian Science church visit him regularly at the jail. They have furnished his cell and provided him with books. They will give him employment when he is released.

COMRADES, WHOSE BOOT?

Footgear With Two Bullet Holes Awaits Its Owner.

Altoona, Pa., May 26.—George Blackburn, who attended the unveiling of the Hartranft monument at Petersburg, Va., brings back the information that John Kiersey of Petersburg has a boot, evidently one worn by a member of the same Pennsylvania regiment that participated in the fight there in June, 1864.

The boot was found thirty-four years after the battle and is being preserved for the owner if he still lives. There are two bullet holes in the instep, one passing through the sole, and the other partially through.

DREAM DIRECTS SEARCH

For Samuel E. Stimeling, Formerly of Johnstown, Pa.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 26.—Samuel E. Stimeling, age forty-five, who has been missing from his home in Steelton since Thursday last, is being searched for in the Susquehanna river as the result of a dream.

A day after he disappeared a relative, Mrs. Cyrus Lyter, dreamed that she had seen him along the river. It turned out that he had been seen there by several persons. Stimeling formerly lived in Johnstown.

MARRIAGE VALID.

Laura Bunn Clark Is Wife of the Rev. Mr. Davidson.

Washington, Ind., May 26.—That Laura Bunn Clark is the legal wife of the Rev. E. E. Davidson, formerly pastor of the First Christian church, was decided by Judge Houghton.

Miss Clark, daughter of a former former mayor of this city, alleged that Davidson and she were secretly married in a St. Louis hotel by a private contract drawn up by the preacher on the back of an envelope. Soon after publication of this story Davidson left Washington. He denied that Miss Clark was his wife.

ORE FREIGHT RATES.

They Are Tending Downwards Owing to Improvements in Vessels.

Iron ore shipments from the Great Lakes districts, which began this month are holding up strongly, with every indication of a record breaking season.

Freight rates on ore are tending downwards owing to improvements in boats. Under one contract, ore to the amount of a half million tons is to be transported from the head of the lakes to Lake Erie at the rate of 65 cents per ton, the contract covering five years. The only other contract of long standing is at 75 cents per ton and will run for several years yet. While 65 cents is a fairly well established rate, this is the first time an agreement at that basis for any number of years has been entered into. The vessel owners have been able to make such a concession because of improvement in service, better speed, more rapid handling of cargoes and greater carrying capacity in vessels. The lowered prices caused by the panic could have had little effect in the calculation.

Household Remedies

are a blessing to the vast army of people who live in rural districts, and such standard medicines as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which has stood the test of time, growing in popularity and favor every year, will continue to be the safeguard of American women for all diseases peculiar to their sex.

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COKING POWER OF COAL ANALYZED

French Expert Finds Three Reagents Which Act as Solvents.

CELLULOSE IN COKING FUEL

Presence in Coal of Substances Derived From It Make Them Fit For Coking, As Shown By a Series of Experiments.

—From The Weekly Courier.—

In order to ascertain the nature of the substances influencing the capacity of certain coals to furnish hard and compact coke, O. Boudouard relates in a paper before the Academy des Sciences, France, he studied the action of a number of solvents on a good coking Belgian coal. The results showed that only three reagents are at all suitable—nitric acid and concentrated sulphuric acid, the dehydrating influence of which on hydrocarbons is sufficiently energetic to carbonize them completely; and Schweitzer's reagent, which dissolves the cellulose constituents of the coal.

Coals are chemical aggregations of unknown constitution, their formation from the vegetable residues of a past geological epoch having probably, in early stages, been analogous to those now observable in the decomposition of large quantities of vegetable matter. Since humic acid does not exist ready-formed in coking coals, whereas this acid is always found in coals that have become oxidized and lost their coking power, it is natural to seek for the origin of that acid in the carbohydrates of the coal, especially the cellulose. The composition of the humic acids obtained from different coals has already been shown to be analogous to that of the corresponding acids from sugar or peat. Moreover, it is highly probable that the hydrocarbon substances giving rise to the formation of humic acid do not exist in their simplest form in fuels, but in a state of extensive condensation or polymerization, through destructive processes through which the vegetable matter has passed, the chief characteristic of the whole series of the decomposition products of vegetable tissue being the accumulation of carbon at the expense of the hydrogen and oxygen. Hence, there is small prospect of finding any large quantity of carbohydrates in coal, these substances having been more or less completely transformed.

Tests which were made with various chemicals showed very clearly that if coking coals be treated with caustic potash, hot concentrated hydrochloric acid and Schweitzer's reagent in succession, their coking power disappears almost entirely. The peculiar action of Schweizer's reagent justifies the assumption that the coking power of coal is due to the presence of substances derived from cellulose. The addition of an excess of acetic acid to the cupric solutions of natural coking coals throws down a very small flocculent precipitate of greyish color, and capable of resisting the action of concentrated acids, alkalis and organic solvents—that is to say, possessing the characteristics of cellulose. Furthermore, oxalic acid can be readily detected in the products of the oxidation of coal by nitric acid, and in those obtained by treating such coals with fused caustic potash. On the other hand, it is known that nitric acid will oxidize cellulose to furnish oxalic acid as a final product, while potash transforms the same substance from oxidized acid and methyl alcohol. The cupric solutions which form oxidized coals will not furnish any precipitate with acetic acid; and the ashes of these coals, after treatment with Schweitzer's reagent, always contain a notable quantity of copper, this metal having been combined as copper humate.

In short, the various organic solvents have little influence on the quality of the coke furnished by the spent coal; and when the surplus solvents are expelled from the solution there remains brown tarry bodies, the amount of which is small, except in the case of pyridin, which solvent extracts more than 10 per cent. Concentrated hydrochloric acid has no effect; while concentrated sulphuric and nitric acid deprive the coal of its coking power, which is also reduced to a considerable extent by fused caustic potash and Schweitzer's reagent. The successive action of aqueous caustic potash, concentrated hydrochloric acid and Schweitzer's reagent destroys the coking power completely, and the explanation of this phenomenon may be sought in the solvent power of the cupro-potassic reagent on derivatives of cellulose. The humic acid found in oxidized coals that will no longer coke is formed by the oxidation of the hydrocarbon substance present in a more or less condensed or polymerized state in the coal.

The fact that anthracites do not furnish a compact coke is capable of very simple explanation, namely, that this class of coal represents a very advanced stage of the transformation of the vegetable matter, and, therefore, no longer contains any cellulose substances or those of hydrocarbon origin a state of transition. For this reason no trace of humic acid can be detected in natural or oxidized anthracites. Finally, it should be noted that the quantity of humic acid necessary to deprive coal of its coking power is very small.

MAY WIN TODAY'S DERBY.

Kentucky-Bred Animal King's Principal Competitor

London, May 26.—The greatest of all horse races, the Derby, which will be run at Epsom Downs today, promises to be the most interesting Derby of a decade. The possibility that King Edward's Minoru will win the purse of $32,250 and the owner gain the distinction of being the first reigning monarch to take the classic, gives the contest an importance that cannot be overestimated in the eyes of the British public.

Minoru is now a hot favorite for the event. Although last year this colt was not rated in the first class, he made phenomenal improvement during the winter. He easily won the 2,000 guineas at Newmarket April 28. His principal opponent is considered to be Louis Winan's Sir Martin, from John E. Madden's Kentucky farm, which is said to have cost the present owner $80,000. Sir Martin is now in the very best of form. He recently won the Welter plate at Newmarket and since then has given every evidence that he will be in the running in today's great event.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—		R	H	E
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 2 1 1 0	4	9	2
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0	3	7	2

Pfiester, Overall and Moran; McIntyre and Bergen.

At New York—		R	H	E
New York	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 *	1	6	1
St Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	5	1

Raymond and Schlei, Sallee and Bresnahan.

At Boston—		R	H	E
Pittsburg	2 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 1	6	5	1
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0	2	6	1

Phillippe and Gibson, McCarthy and Graham.

At Philadelphia—		R	H	E
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	4	0
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	2	2

Ewing and Roth; Sparks and Dooin.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
Pittsburg	20	11	.645
Chicago	21	13	.618
Philadelphia	14	14	.500
Cincinnati	17	17	.500
New York	13	15	.464
Brooklyn	13	16	.448
St Louis	15	19	.441
Boston	11	19	.367

Games Today.

Pittsburg at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago-New York, rain.

At Detroit—		R	H	E
Detroit	0 0 1 4 0 1 0 1 *	7	10	2
Washington	0 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0	4	6	1

Mullin and Schmidt; Groom, Tannehill and Street.

At St. Louis—		R	H	E
St. Louis	0 0 0 1 0 3 0 1 *	5	11	0
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	6	1

Graham and Criger; Morgan, Ryan and Carrigan.

At Cleveland—		R	H	E
Philadelphia	0 6 0 0 4 0 0 2 2	13	16	1
Cleveland	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	4	1

Bender and Thomas; Falkenburg, Rhoades and Easterly.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	21	14	.656
Philadelphia	18	11	.621
Boston	17	13	.567
New York	17	13	.567
Chicago	15	17	.469
St. Louis	14	16	.467
Cleveland	12	19	.387
Washington	8	22	.267

Games Today.

New York at Chicago.
Washington at Detroit.
Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

If a man empties his purse into his head no one can take it from him.—Franklin.

INSTANT RELIEF FROM DREAD CATARRH.

Why don't you get rid of that nasty, humiliating disease catarrh?

You can do it if you really want to.

But you can't cure catarrh in a few days, that's an utter impossibility, because there is no remedy known that will kill the catarrh germs in that short time.

But you can cure catarrh if you will have a little patience and breathe in Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) three or four times a day.

Hyomei cures catarrh by killing the germs and it kills the germs because it gets where the germs are.

Hyomei is a powerful antiseptic and germ killing air, it is made from the fluid extracted from the eucalyptus trees of Australia where catarrh is unknown.

It gives relief instantly, stops hawking in a few days and is guaranteed by A. A. Clarke to cure catarrh, asthma, croup and bronchitis or money back. A complete outfit, including inhaler costs $1.00, and extra bottles of Hyomei cost 50 cents.

"Hyomei certainly saved my life and I accord it the credit which it deserves and merits. There is nothing too strong for me to say regarding Hyomei."—Mrs. Ada Hopkins, 8 Cutter Ave., Coldwater, Mich., August 22, 1908.

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It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach disease or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.

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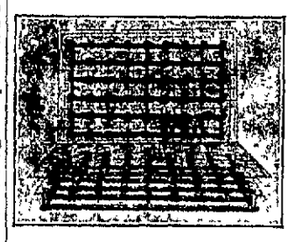

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Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

If you have any even one, of the symptoms of kidney disease cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Can Connellsville residents demand more convincing proof than the following:

Harry Dinsmore, New Haven, Pa., says: "I am only too pleased to confirm the statement I made in 1897 concerning the benefit I had received from Doan's Kidney Pills. My kidneys were out of order and in consequence I suffered from a severe pain across my back, which was greatly aggravated if I stooped or lifted. Doan's Kidney Pills completely removed the trouble and benefitted me in a general way. On several occasions I have had need of a kidney remedy and Doan's Kidney Pills have never failed to give me the same prompt relief. I value them very highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

NEGRO PLEADS GUILTY

Slayer of Clara Rosen Will Suffer the Extreme Penalty.

Centerville, Ia., May 26.—John Junken, confessed negro slayer of Clara Rosen, an Ottumwa choir singer, pleaded guilty today to the charge. This, says Prosecutor Seneca Cornell, means that Junken will be sentenced to hang.

Junken is in a state of collapse. He feared he would be lynched. A heavy rain dampened the ardor of lynchers, who, after getting a soaking, went home disgusted. A jury will be selected today.

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THE BLACK CAT BROUGHT LUCK.

The Barber: "Thank heavens, he's too big to get upstairs!"

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Have you seen those beautiful Japanese Mattings in fancy figures and flowers—all colors—regular 40c grade. The yard 25c

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Sixty dozen Table Tumblers, heavy bottoms, with optic ribbed flutes, shell glass, regular 16c value. While they last, each 5c

MILLINERY

The Millinery styles for the season are now a settled fact. You can purchase a hat with the assurance that there will be nothing in a later style to take its place. We have made the prices on our Hats so low that they are within the reach of all. Come in and look them over. We call special attention to the hats at $2.49, $2.99 and $3.49, and know that they cannot be duplicated for less than $5.00. Our $1.99 Hats are a greater value than others show for double the price.

Come in and see.

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New York Racket Store.

Fine Job Work of all kind at this office

SENATOR ALDRICH OF RHODE ISLAND, LEADER OF FIGHT FOR HIGH TARIFF

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich has surprised his colleagues by the wide range of his information on tariff schedules. Although the Rhode Island Senator has long been famous for his intimate knowledge of national finances, his fellow members of the upper brauch of Congress had no idea that he was so thoroughly posted on the intricacies of tariff schedules. The tariff bill which bears the name of Representative Payne of New York and naturally has been labeled the Payne bill will go down in history as the Aldrich bill by reason of the light that the Senator has made for the restoration of schedules that the original measure sought to reduce. Senator Aldrich has met nearly every attack of the tariff reformers with exhaustive statistics to uphold his protection views. Even which is baffling to the ordinary mortal, is readily elucidated by Senator Aldrich. His debate has been marked by the rarest skill, and his diplomacy has enabled him to restore many of the schedules that even a majority of his party leaders opposed.

DEMS DEMAND DUTY ON SUGAR.

Two Senators of That Party Are Openly for Protection.

SHIVELY IN MAIDEN SPEECH

Declares That If Proposed Maximum and Minimum Provision of New Tariff Law Is Constitutional It Will Impose Unexpected Duties.

Washington, May 26.—The senate began the formal consideration of the sugar schedule but did not approach a vote upon it. Instead, the time allotted to this schedule was entirely given over to speech making and, strange to say, the two speeches on the subject, while made by Democrats, were in strong advocacy of a high tariff on sugar of all grades.

The speeches were by Senators Foster and McEnery of Louisiana. Mr. Foster laughingly deprecated the application of the word "protection" to

SENATOR SHIVELY.

his attitude, but Mr. McEnery boldly espoused the protective theory and openly advised his Democratic friends to follow his example. He declares protection to be in the line of Democratic policy.

The lumber schedule was temporarily put aside in order to permit the committee on finance to make changes in it. Senator Beveridge addressed the senate in support of his contention that President Taft had previous to and after his nomination been a consistent advocate of a downward revision of the tariff. He followed the maiden effort of his Democratic colleague, Mr. Shiveley, who undertook to prove that if the tariff bill now before the senate should become a law the rates over which the senate is wrangling would not constitute the tariff that would go into effect, but that under the maximum and minimum provision the country would find itself operating under the maximum rate, which is 25 per cent higher than the minimum.

GRAFT CHARGES DENIED

State Veterinarian Pearson Replies to Statements of Mr. Herr.

Philadelphia, May 26.—Dr. Pearson, state veterinarian, denies the statements made at York by Vice President Herr of the state board of agriculture to the effect that "the recent investigation in Pennsylvania of the epidemic of foot and mouth disease among cattle was a carnival of graft."

Herr charged the men "conducting the investigations with wholesale grafting," and declared "that infected stock was shipped into Clinton county and mixed with healthy herds which were condemned and the state paid more for the cattle than they were worth."

Dr. Pearson says:

"It was necessary to destroy five infected herds and to disinfect five premises in Clinton county. The animals destroyed comprised 45 cattle, 196 swine and 24 sheep, appraised at a total of $2,892, of which the state paid $964. I have no reason to believe the appraisements were excessive in any instance.

"The federal inspectors were all men in the permanent employ of the federal department of agriculture and they received no extra compensation while engaged on this work."

TOLSTOI UNMOLESTED

But His Publisher Is Given Six Months' Sentence to Prison.

St. Petersburg, May 26.—Nicolai Selden has been sentenced to six months in the fortress on the charge of having published Count Leo Tolstoi's "Thou Shalt Not Kill" and other political pamphlets.

The magistrates refused to prosecute Count Tolstoi, who wrote a letter to the court declaring that Selden was a passive offender and inviting the prosecution of himself.

Battleship Breaks River Records.

New Orleans, May 26.—Breaking all records, the battleship Mississippi arrived at New Orleans from Natchez at 7 o'clock last evening. She left Natchez at 5 a. m. and covered the distance, [illegible] miles, in fourteen hours.

FRENCH HERO FUND.

Formation Announced at Carnegie Luncheon in Paris Today.

Paris, May 25.—Andrew Carnegie of New York has arranged to give $1,000,000 for the establishment of a "hero fund" in France under practically the same conditions as govern similar funds in the United States, England and Scotland.

Formal announcement of this gift was made at a luncheon at the Sorbonne today, at which Mr. Carnegie was the guest of honor. President Fallieres attended the luncheon.

During his brief stay here Mr. Carnegie is being showered with attentions. Baron d'Estournelles de Constant will give a dinner to him this evening.

BIG STORES COMBINE

Morgan Engineers $50,000,000 Combination of Drygoods Concerns.

New York, May 26.—Trading began today in United Drygoods companies' preferred stock on the curb. Temporary receipts, deliverable when issued, are being traded in.

The United Drygoods companies is the new Delaware corporation with a capital of $50,000,000 and which has acquired control of the Associated Merchants' company of New York and the following four large stores: Hahne & Co., Newark, Powers Mercantile company, Minneapolis; the William Hengerer company, Buffalo, and the Stewart Drygoods company of Louisville.

The Associated Merchants' company controls the following companies: The H. B. Claflin company (wholesale), James McCreery & Co., C. G. Gunthers Sons and O'Neill-Adams company, all of New York; Stewart & Co. of Baltimore and J. N. Adam & Co. of Buffalo.

The merger is financed by J. P. Morgan & Co., who have taken the preferred stock.

ROOSEVELT'S WORK UNDONE

President Taft Abolishes Council of Fine Arts by Executive Order.

Washington, May 26.—The council of fine arts created by President Roosevelt, which was to have charge of the beautification of Washington, to pass upon the design of government buildings, etc., was abolished by President Taft in an executive order.

This action was required by the last sundry civil bill, which failed to appropriate money for expenses or salaries of any of the commissions created by President Roosevelt without the consent of congress.

AIM AT CONQUEST OF CHINA

Salvation Army, It Is Announced, Undertakes Big Contract.

New York, May 26.—Officers of the Salvation Army from every quarter of the United States are in attendance at the national congress of the organization today.

Colonel Edward K. Higgins of London, introduced by Miss Eva Booth as the representative of General Booth, made the announcement that the Salvation Army had decided to try to convert Chinese. The work, he said, was already well under way. General Booth will visit the United States this fall to conduct a two months' campaign.

Grover Cleveland's Sister Dead.

Hartford, Conn., May 26.—Mrs. Anna Cleveland Hastings, widow of the Rev. Dr. E. P. Hastings and sister of former President Grover Cleveland, died at her home here, age seventy-nine.

PITTSBURG MARKETS.

Poultry (Live) — Hens, 15@16; cocks, 11@12; turkeys, 14@15.

Butter—Elgin prints, 28@28½; tubs, 27@27½; Pennsylvania and Ohio creamery, 25@25½.

Eggs — Fresh candled, 23@23½; mark, 23.

Apples—Fancy, $6@6.50.

Potatoes—Fancy, $1@1.10.

Herr's Island Live Stock.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady. Choice, $6.90@7.15; prime, $6.75@7; good, $6.65@6.70; tidy butchers, $6.15@6.50; fair, $5.60@6.15; bulls, $3@6; heifers, $3.25@6.25; common to good, fat cows, $2.25@5.25; fresh cows and springers, $25@55.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply light and market steady. Prime wethers, $6.10@6.20; good mixed, $5.75@6; fair mixed, $5.30@5.65; culls and common, $2.50@4; heavy ewes, $5.10@5.75; lambs, $5@8.50; spring lambs, $5@9; veal calves, $7.50@8; heavy and thin calves, $4.50@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts light; market active and prices higher. Prime heavy hogs, $7.70; mediums, $7.55@7.60; heavy yorkers, $7.50@7.55; light yorkers, $7.20@7.30; pigs, $7@7.10; roughs, $6@6.65; stags, $5@5.50.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, May 25.—Wheat prices again rose to new high levels for the season when the May delivery sold today at 135¼ and July at 119½ per bushel. Corn and oats also continued their upward flight, May corn scoring a new high mark at 76½, while May oats advanced to 63. Provisions were strong as a result of the bulge in coarse grain. May options closed: Wheat, 134; corn, 76½; oats, 62½.

EJECTED FROM POORHOUSE

Minister, With His Mother and Sister, In Sorry Plight.

Treverton, Pa., May 26.—The Rev. William H. Heyer, formerly pastor of the local Lutheran church, was ejected from the almshouse with his mother and sister, where they sought refuge after he had been evicted from the parsonage.

The poor directors claim the ministerial party was entered there without the necessary legal papers.

The Rev. Mr. Heyer came here seven years ago, lost his popularity, and in 1907 the congregation asked for a new minister, saying they had grown tired of Heyer. He refused to leave the church until he was evicted by force.

COUNTY EXPENDITURES.

List of Bills Recently Paid by the County Commissioners.

National Bank of Fayette county, interest on bonds, $20.

Conrad Monhart, shoes for prisoners, $18.85.

William S. Craft, burial of James Hoover, old soldier, $50.

A. B. Hutchinson, treasurer, justices' costs, etc., $125.41.

W. S. Blaney, salary for April, $125.

A. B. Hutchinson, treasurer, supplies for county officers, $89.39.

Same, constables' costs, $101.65.

Frank Riser, Connellsville, refunded taxes, $27.36.

Antonio Bufano, interperter, $28.

E. S. Hackney, cashier, redeemed bond $1,000.

Fayette County Gas company, bill for April, $327.42.

J. K. Churns, constables' costs, $39.25.

Dr. P. S. Hoover, services, $43.75.

Dr. H. A. Hutchinson, superintendent Dixmont, three months, $1,000.

A. B. Hutchinson, treasurer, registrars of vital statistics, 1908, $1,011.

M. A. Kiefer, sheriff's old costs, $114.19.

D. H. Cook, Franklin township, rent for polling places, $18.

Elizabeth M. Leonard, court reporting, $144.40.

J. W. K. Solomon, headstone for J. M. Howlby, old soldier, $17.

West Disinfecting company, supplies for jail, $18.

A. B. Hutchinson, treasurer, justices' costs, etc., $158.06.

Same, court house employes, $27.25.

Same, crier and tipstaves, $70.28.

Humbert & company, repairs to jail, $168.18.

George M. Strickler, repairing road, Dunbar township, $87.75.

E. S. Hackney, cashier, interest on bonds, $200.

Total, $5,802.14.

E. S. Hackney, cashier, six months' interest on court house bonds to May 1, $200.

Stratton, Lewis & company, estimate No. 4 and finish of east wing Point Marion bridge, $1,098.40.

Same for extra work on same bridge, $117.45.

Drusilla L. Cox, transcribing notes of testimony, etc., $90.40.

Richard Vandell, refunded school tax, South Union township, $29.50.

John Raymond, May registry of voters and school children, Bullskin township, $38.75.

James Martucci, mason work, at Clements mill bridge, $400.

Smith Dawson, burial Hurman Fosbrink, deceased soldier, $65.

B. & O. railroad for freight on 800 bags cement for Point Marion bridge, $62.70.

Same for 600 bags cement for Yough bridge, Connellsville, $62.70.

Fayette Publishing Company, notice for spring primary, $15.88.

A. B. Hutchinson, treasurer, for commonwealth witnesses' and constables' and justices' costs, $181.23.

Same, for sundry bills, $30.25.

Same, court house employes to May 22, $75.25.

Total, $8,337.49.

Executor's Notice.

S. R. Goldsmith, Attorney.

ESTATE OF MICHAEL CUNNINGHAM, deceased. Letters of Administration on the Estate of Michael Cunningham, late of the Borough of Connellsville, Fayette County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. JAMES McDERMOTT, Executor, Connellsville, Pa.

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Notice of Application for a Charter.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by Frank Fee, John Detemple, F. T. Buttermore, J. S. Darr and others, to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, June 14, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the several supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called Moose Club, Number Sixteen, Loyal Order of Moose, the character and object of which is the associating together of members of the Loyal Order of Moose in good standing, for purposes of social intercourse; and to provide, maintain and control rooms and quarters as a home for Connellsville Lodge, Number Sixteen, Loyal Order of Moose, for profit and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly, and the supplements thereto conferred.

LESLIE A. HOWARD, Solicitor.

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Notice to Contractors.

Borough of Mount Pleasant, Pa.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Borough Secretary in Mount Pleasant, Pa., until eight o'clock P. M., June 15, 1909, for the grading, curbing and paving of the following streets:

Eagle street from Main Street to South Church street, 3,279 cubic yards excavating; 3,734 lineal feet curbing; 4,530 square yards paving.

Walnut Street from Eagle Street to Church Street, 692 cubic yards excavating; 1,144 lineal feet curbing; 1,100 square yards paving.

College Avenue from Main Street to Eagle Street, 2,710 cubic yards excavating; 3,530 lineal feet curbing; 4,135 square yards paving.

Also for sewering Eagle and Spring Streets, and Eagle Street and Zuck Alley. Forms of proposals and copies of the specifications and instructions to contractors may be seen at the office of the Borough Secretary. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $500.00, made payable to the Borough Treasurer, as a guarantee of good faith. The Borough reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CHAS. F. STONER, Secretary Pro Tem.

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For WASHINGTON, PA., and WHEELING—Week days, 5.00, 7.14, 10.15 A. M.; 4.35 and 8.06 P. M. Sundays, 5.00, 7.14 A. M.; 4.35 and 8.06 P. M.

For MT. PLEASANT—Week days, 10.25 A. M.

For UNIONTOWN—Week days, 10.00 A. M.; 4.45 and 6.50 P. M. Sundays, 10.00 A. M. and 6.50 P. M.

For MORGANTOWN and FAIRMONT—Week days, 10.00 A. M., 4.45 and 6.50 P. M. Sundays, 10.00 A. M. and 6.50 P. M.

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John Mitchell Warmly Defends Organized Labor.

QUOTES TAFT AND ROOSEVELT

And Other Celebrities in Support of His Contention That Organized Labor Movement is Legal and Legitimate.

New York, May 26.—The recent arraignment of organized labor made here in the course of his speech of acceptance by John Kirby of Dayton, O., the newly elected president of the National Association of Manufacturers, is made the subject of a condemnatory article by John Mitchell, former president of the United Mineworkers, in the current issue of the National Civic Federation review. Mr. Mitchell quotes Mr. Kirby as saying that he had been elected to the presidency of the National Association of Manufacturers not on account of his ability or his national reputation, but because the members of the association knew where he stood on the labor question. He then goes on to illustrate where Mr. Kirby stands on this question by contrasting his utterances on the subject of organized labor with those of President Taft, Pope Leo XIII, Cardinal Manning, Gladstone, the late Mark Hanna, Potter Palmer, Wendell Phillips, the late Bishop Potter and Melville E. Ingalls.

Agrees on One Point.

From this parallel Mr. Mitchell deduces that "the only truthful and sane declaration made by the newly chosen spokesman of the National Association of Manufacturers is that in which he says: 'I have not been selected as your president on account of my ability.'

"Paradoxical as it may appear," concludes Mr. Mitchell, "the representatives of this employers' association in one breath decry and denounce what they term 'class divisions' and 'class hatreds,' and in the next breath malign and berate their fellow-citizens who are workingmen and all other groups in society in sympathy with the legitimate purposes and high ideals of the labor movement. They claim and proclaim the right and necessity of *organization among employers yet deny* to workingmen the right of organization and combination.

Charges Inconsistency.

"They prate about law and order, yet advocate violence and anarchy; they suggest the use of the cannon as a means of dispersing the workingmen; they malign and traduce the *great majority of employers of labor* who refuse to join them in carrying forward their unholy and un-American designs to destroy the organized labor movement; and to cap the climax of their inconsistency they impugn the motives and question the intelligence of the religious, educational and philanthropic institutions of our country, simply because these institutions have opened their doors to the organized labor movement and have listened respectfully to the claims made on behalf of the workingmen and women whose brain and brawn have contributed in no small degree to the commercial, intellectual and moral supremacy of the nation.

"How much better would it be for themselves, how much more would it contribute to the honor and glory of our common country if these gentlemen of the National Association of Manufacturers would examine with open minds and intelligent discernment the real purpose, policy and philosophy of the American labor movement."

TWO SLAIN BY PISTOLS

Four Prominent Citizens of North Carolina Settle a Quarrel.

Charlotte, N. C., May 26.—Arthur and Andy Franklin were shot to death in a remote section of Madison county in a four-cornered fight in which the Franklins were arrayed against the Tweed brothers.

Andy Franklin endeavored to stop the fight, it is said, but Major Tweed interfered. Andy Franklin was instantly killed. Arthur Franklin died of his wounds and Major Tweed received a serious wound in the thigh. Beverly Stanton, a bystander, was shot in the thigh. The four men were among the most prominent citizens of the county.

STELLWAGEN ENTERTAINS

Vice President Sherman and Party From Washington.

Harpers Ferry, W. Va., May 26.—Vice President Sherman and a party including Speaker Cannon, the members of the inaugural committee, government officials and a delegation from the Gridiron club are here as guests of E. J. Stellwagen, chairman of the Taft inaugural committee.

During the outing Mr Stellwagen entertained his guests at the Blue Ridge Rod and Gun club. The party will leave Harpers Ferry at 4:15 this afternoon for Washington.

Altoona Man Beaten and Robbed.

Waco, Tex., May 26.—Lying in a pool of blood with his head fearfully beaten and a shot wound through the thigh, Wilkin Dale, who came here from Altoona, Pa., was found in Riggins park. He is in a critical condition. He says he was held up by two men. Two arrests have been made.

West Penn Trolley Notes.

By T. Robb Dayarmon.

That the West Penn trolley cars have been much in evidence for a few weeks past you have only to ask the sweet girl graduate and her beau fellow. There has been furnished special cars by the company from different points along the line, making it convenient for them to attend the graduating exercises and after that the alumni banquets, where the feast of good things and the flow of soul lasted into the morning as did that of the Leisenring high school at the Wyman, Connellsville. The question arises, how, without a West Penn trolley car, would the happy crowd found transportation to their homes. No doubt like our friends over in Greene county—once the democratic flower of the State but traveling now without a trolley line within its borders. They use wagons, sleds, go-carts and the most modern vehicle of transportation to a dunn colored pacing bull that can make a mile in 2:40 by the watch. There is still a chance with the West Penn for modern transportation. Had the proposition of F. P. Marr, for the West Penn Railways Company, been accepted, work by this time would have been under way and it would have been but a little time until pacing bulls at a 2:40 gait would have been relegated to the rear.

But cheer up, chappies, don't you fret,
Let the West Penn see you through
Not a bit of use to get
Blue.

Mistakes are easy things to whip,
Change your base all in a jiff.
Just you keep your upper lip
Stiff.

Worry only makes you sore,
Unbuilt trolleys never pay.
Chances darkest just before
Day.

Your day may come, take a tip;
Rescind that hasty West Penn tiff.
Then just keep your upper lip
Stiff.

There's an effort made to suppress the spread of tuberculosis, and if you are a daily patron of the West Penn trolley you would wonder what the leagues that are daily fighting it could do. The West Penn Railways Company have a force of men at their different car barns daily cleaning cars. They are scrubbed and disinfected and sent out clean for the trip. But how long do they remain so? Among the passengers who get aboard there are sure to be a few street car hogs. About the first thing he does is to whip out a paper of cut and dry and fill his what you might call a mouth and go to chewing like a jack-ass in a thistle patch. If he can't find room on the car floor for his filthy tuberculosis expectoration, he will lift the cap at the base of the window and squirt his abominable excrescence down the open space where the window sash drops and where there is no remedy but to inhale his foul stuff by the hour. Such passengers are only deserving of a garbage wagon as a means of transportation. Then if the conductor calls attention to the violation of the rules of the West Penn Company "he's a crank." Such animals should be arrested and fined. The law should be rigidly enforced and the disease-breeding offender against public decency made to pay well for his lack of manhood. Many a lady has ruined her wearing apparel by having to take a seat hurriedly vacated by one of these disease germ spreaders.

Another disturber of the comfort of numerous passengers is the lubber who can not use what the Almighty intended him to sit on but must slide half way down his back-bone so he can get to plant his knees against the back of the seat in front of him. He may not know the backs are reversible and the occupant in front must carry the weight of a portion of that fellow's anatomy over the route. This is one of the things to make you forget you ever went to Sunday school.

You see some funny sights on the trolley car if you are a daily passenger. Going out the Vanderbilt line from Connellsville the other evening was a fellow making love—so it looked—to a young lady occupying the same seat. He was oblivious to the world and had a deaf ear to many a "tee-hee" from disgusted passengers. He looked like a smoked ham in color, and certainly needed a few doses of podophyllne to tone up his liver. He left the car at Vanderbilt and heaven only knows what became of the verdant specimen of mistaken manhood.

What a contrast caught the writer's eye a few mornings ago, along the foot of the mountain, where the picturesque route of the West Penn trolley gives the passenger some of the grandest scenery to be found out of doors. The rays of the morning sun as they came over the hill from the east and percolated the mountain fastness with shafts of golden light reflected its golden gleam on hills but a little distance above the car, carpeted with snow. Talk about your Colorado scenery; where you can see the everlasting snow capped mountains. The lover of nature's pictures need not leave Fayette county to find the most surpassing gems that ever sparkled in the sun light of a new spring morning, by taking passage on a West Penn trolley car. On one side of the car, some happy little tots were gathering "Johnies" in plain sight from the window. From the opposite window a poor woman was picking coal along the railroad track.

Only a short stop or two from the trolley car to the forest, where the myrtles grow, and where the pine and laurel bend beneath the snow. Such was a picture from life that spring morning in April to the writer as he passed along the foot of the hills on a West Penn trolley car, not long after passing through the thriving town of Dunbar and through the most historic grounds and High School graduate can take up in the study of the history of the county in which they live.

The other evening on a West Penn trolley car with a well known Connellsville preacher for a traveling companion there were rich gems for thought, picked from the desultory conversation with the—to the writer—strange divine, whose first meeting was by chance on the trolley car. The observance of "Mother's Day" was touched on as one of the coming national events of untold inspiration to the boy or man who loved his mother.

At Coolspring stop an aged mother was tenderly assisted up the steps of the car by a son, aided by the conductor, and the writer thought of earlier scenes and a mother's love.

One of the noblest acts of the illustrious Garfield, after he took the oath of office as Chief Magistrate of the nation, was his public exhibition of affection to his sainted mother, who occupied a seat on the platform on which he stood. That was an act that should be chronicled in the mind and heart of every man. Point out to the writer a boy or man who is not ever ready, as was President Garfield, or the humble citizen, who helped his mother aboard the West Penn trolley car, at Coolspring stop, to show a tender regard to his mother, and you will find his make-up of the baser stuff and his heart minus the fear of God.

All over the land, just now, the name of mother has been revered by many lips, coming either from the prattling child or spoken by the man of sterner stuff. There's hallowed music in the sound. A mother is the truest friend we ever had. She is with us in our trials, her arm shields us in adversity and her smile encourages us in prosperity. She rejoices with us in the sunshine and never deserts us when clouds thicken over our pathway. Her counsels, if adhered to, will dispel the darkest cloud and cause a return of peace to the wrecked and a long way from the troubled soul. Many a wanderer, ship wrecked, and a long way from port, has been reclaimed by a mother's call to return.

Reader do you ever call a halt along the busy marts of life to think of the guardian angel who all along the journey has been your guiding star? No matter what offenses you may have committed, no matter how black the account you may have rendered, mother is always ready to forgot and give you another chance.

It was Mrs. Hale, who outlined the mother's influence in verse:

O wondrous power! How little understood—
Entrusted to the mother's mind alone,
To fashion, genius, form the soul for good,
Inspire a West, or train a Washington!

While writing tonight, there's a dimness covers the page, as memory calls up Christmas night twenty-four years ago. It was that night the writer's mother gave him the last good-bye and put out to sea, expecting to meet her Pilot face to face, when the bar was crossed.

The lines penciled by "Ethel Maude Colson," have had a place on memory's page and come up tonight as an appropriate finish to the mother's tribute:

If I only knew, if I only knew!—
Whether for her the skies are blue;
Whether for her the wind blows clear
In the same sweet manner that pleased her here;
Whether for her the stars shine bright,
The stars that she smiled at every night;
If the old, fond stories are false or true
If I only know, if I only know!

If I only know, if I only knew!—
If ready for passing her sweet soul grew
In an instant's place, or was drawn away.
Silently, steadily, day by day,
Loosening ever the bonds of sense,
Yielding the here for the unknown hence,
Till it slipped with a smile the strange gates through—
If I only know, if I only knew!

If I only know, if I only knew!—
Dear, as I wake and think of you,
Hungry and sick for your vanished grace,
Whether you sometimes recall my face,
Stretching the hands that once clasped my own,
Swelling the heart that was ours alone,
And even in Heaven your love renew—
If I only know, if I only knew!

If I only know, if I only knew!—
If I had but the faintest, slightest clue
To the mystery laid with your form away,
Yet hauntingly close to my soul to stay,
To the wonderful region that lies between
The life I know and the Land Unseen,
That shuts from my vision your larger view—
If I only knew, if I only knew!

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The BLACK BAG

By Louis Joseph Vance

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"You told me once," Kirkwood continued quickly and, he felt, brazenly, "that you considered me kind, thoughtful and considerate. You know me no better today than you did then, but I want to beg you to trust me a little. Can you trust yourself to my protection until we reach your friends in England?"

"Why, I"— the girl faltered, taken by surprise.

"Mr. Kirkwood!" cried Mrs. Hallam angrily, finding her voice.

Kirkwood turned to meet her onslaught with a mien grave, determined, unflinching. "Please do not interfere, madam," he said quietly.

"You are impertinent, sir! Dorothy, I forbid you to listen to this person!"

The girl flushed, lifting her chin a trifle. "Forbid?" she repeated wonderingly.

Kirkwood was quick to take advantage of her resentment. "Mrs. Hallam is not fitted to advise you," he insisted, "nor can she control your actions. It must already have occurred to you that you're rather out of place in the present circumstances. The men who have brought you hither I believe you already see through to some extent. Forgive my speaking plainly. But that is why you have accepted Mrs. Hallam's offer of protection. Will you take my word for it when I tell you she has not your right interests at heart, but the reverse? I happen to know, Miss Calendar, and I"—

"How dare you, sir?"

Flaming with rage, Mrs. Hallam put herself bodily between them, confronting Kirkwood in white lipped desperation, her small gloved hands clinched and quivering at her sides, her green eyes dangerous.

But Kirkwood could silence her, and he did. "Do you wish me to speak frankly, madam? Do you wish me to tell what I know and all I know," with rising emphasis, "of your social status and your relations with Calendar and Mulready? I promise you that if you wish it or force me to it"—

But he had need to say nothing further. The woman's eyes wavered before his, and a little sob of terror forced itself between her shut teeth. Kirkwood smiled grimly, with a face of brass, impenetrable, inflexible. And suddenly she turned from him with indifferent bravado.

"As Mr. Kirkwood says, Dorothy," she said in her high metallic voice, "I have no authority over you. But if you're silly enough to consider for a moment this fellow's insulting suggestion, if you're fool enough to go with him unchaperoned through Europe and imperil your"—

"Mrs. Hallam!" Kirkwood cut her short, with a menacing tone.

—"Why, then, I wash my hands of you," concluded the woman defiantly. "Make your choice, my child," she added, with a meaning laugh, and

"The honor of an American gentleman."

moved away, humming a snatch from a French song, which brought the hot blood to Kirkwood's face.

But the girl did not understand, and he was glad of that. "You may judge between us," he appealed to her directly once more. "I can only offer you my word of honor as an American gentleman that you shall be landed in England safe and sound by the first available steamer."

"There's no need to say more, Mr. Kirkwood," Dorothy informed him quietly. "I have already decided. I think I begin to understand some things clearly now. If you're ready we will go."

From the window, where she stood holding the curtains back and staring out, Mrs. Hallam turned with a curling lip.

"'The honor of an American gentleman,'" she quoted, with a stinging sneer—"I'm sure I wish you comfort of it, child!"

"We must make haste, Miss Calendar," said Kirkwood, ignoring the implication. "Have you a traveling bag?"

She silently indicated a small valise, closed and strapped, on a table by the bed, and immediately passed out into the hall. Kirkwood took the case containing the gladstone bag in one hand, the girl's valise in the other, and followed.

As he turned the head of the stairs he looked back. Mrs. Hallam was still at the window, her back turned. From her very passiveness he received an impression of something ominous and forbidding. If she had lost a trick or two of the game she played, she still held cards—was not at the end of her resources. She stuck in his imagination for many an hour as a force to be reckoned with.

For the present he understood that she was waiting to apprise Calendar and Mulready of their flight. With more haste, then, he followed Dorothy down the three flights, through the tiny office, where madam sat sound asleep at her overburdened desk, and out.

Opposite the door they were fortunate to find a fiacre drawn up in waiting at the curb. Kirkwood opened the door for the girl to enter.

"Gare du Sud," he directed the driver. "Drive your fastest. Double fare for quick time!"

The driver awoke with a start from profound reverie, looked Kirkwood over and bowed with gesticulative palms.

"M'sieu', I am desolated, but engaged!" he protested.

"Precisely." Kirkwood deposited the two bags on the forward seat of the conveyance and stood back to convince the man. "Precisely," said he, undismayed. "The lady who engaged you is remaining for a time. I will settle her bill."

"Very well, m'sieu'!" The driver disclaimed responsibility and accepted the favor of the gods with a speaking shrug. "M'sieu' said the Gare du Sud?"

Kirkwood jumped in and shut the door. The vehicle drew slowly away from the curb, then with gratifying speed hammered upstream on the embankment. Bending forward, elbows on knees, Kirkwood watched the sidewalks narrowly, partly to cover the girl's constraint due to Mrs. Hallam's attitude, partly on the lookout for Calendar and his confederates. In a few moments they passed a public clock.

"We've missed the Flushing boat," he announced. "I'm making a try for the Hoek van Holland line. We may possibly make it. I know that it leaves by the Sud quay, and that's all I do know," he concluded, with an apologetic laugh.

"And if we miss that?" asked the girl, breaking silence for the first time since they had left the hotel.

"We'll take the first train out of Antwerp."

"Where to?"

"Wherever the first train goes, Miss Calendar. The main point is to get away tonight. That we must do, no matter where we land or how we get there. Tomorrow we can plan with more certainty."

"Yes." Her assent was more a sigh than a word.

The cab, dashing down the Rue Leopold de Wael, swung into the Place du Sud before the station. Kirkwood, acutely watchful, suddenly thrust head and shoulders out of his window (fortunately it was the one away from the depot) and called up to the driver.

"Don't stop! Gare Centrale now—and treble fare!"

"Yes, sir! All right!"

The whip cracked, and the horse swerved sharply round the corner into the Avenue du Sud. The young man, with a hushed exclamation, turned in his seat, lifting the flap over the little peephole in the back of the carriage.

He had not been mistaken. Calendar was standing in front of the station, and it was plain to be seen from his pose that the madly careering fiacre interested him more than slightly. Irresolute, perturbed, the man took a step or two after it, changed his mind and returned to his post of observation.

Kirkwood dropped the flap and turned back to find the girl's wide eyes searching his face. He said nothing.

"What was that?" she asked after a patient moment.

"Your father, Miss Calendar," he returned uncomfortably.

There fell a short pause; then, "Why, will you tell me, is it necessary to run away from my father, Mr. Kirkwood?" she demanded, with a moving little break in her voice.

CHAPTER XXIV.

KIRKWOOD hesitated. It was unfeeling to tell her why, yet it was essential that she know, however painful the knowledge might prove to her.

And she was insistent. He might not dodge the issue. "Why?" she repeated as he paused.

"I wish you wouldn't press me for an answer just now, Miss Calendar."

"Don't you think I had better know?"

Instinctively he inclined his head in assent.

"Then why?"

Kirkwood bent forward and patted the flank of the satchel that held the gladstone bag.

"What does that mean, Mr. Kirkwood?"

"That I have the jewels," he told her tersely, looking straight ahead.

At his shoulder he heard a low gasp of amazement and incredulity commingled.

"But—how did you get them? My father deposited them in bank this morning?"

"He must have taken them out again. I got them on board the Alethea, where your father was conferring with Mulready and Captain Stryker."

"The Alethea!"

"Yes."

"You took them from those men—you! But didn't my father"—

"I had to persuade him," said Kirkwood simply.

"But there were three of them against you!"

"Mulready wasn't—ah—feeling very well, and Stryker's a coward. They gave me no trouble. I locked them in Stryker's room, lifted the bag of jewels and came away. I ought to tell you that they were discussing the advisability of sailing away without you, leaving you here, friendless and without means. That's why I considered it my duty to take a hand. I don't like to tell you this so brutally, but you ought to know."

"I understand."

But for some moments she did not speak. He avoided looking at her.

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SMINK COMES TO RESCUE AND SAVES GAME FOR UNIONTOWN.

Called Yesterday's Contest in the Thirteenth Inning, Ten Minutes Earlier Than Monday's Game Ended.

HE SAID HE COULDN'T SEE

According to the Connellsville Fans His Windows Needed Washing Early in the Game Anyhow—Score a Tie With Yoedt Getting Stronger All The Time.

Scores Yesterday.

*Connellsville, 4; Uniontown, 4.
Fairmont, 3; Charleroi, 2.
Grafton, 5; Clarksburg, 3.
*13 innings.—Darkness.

Games Tomorrow.

Connellsville at Charleroi.
Fairmont at Uniontown.
Grafton at Clarksburg

Club Standing.

	C'ville	U'town	Charl	Fairmt	Grafton	Clarksb'g	Won
Connellsville	x	0	0	2	3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Uniontown	1	x	3	0	3	2	9
Charleroi	0	2	x	2	1	2	7
Fairmont	1	1	1	x	1	2	15
Grafton	3	1	2	1	x	2	9
Clarksburg	3	1	2	0	..	x	9
Lost	11	8	11	5	11	12	

Summary.

	W.	L.	Pct
Fairmont	15	5	.750
Uniontown	9	8	.529
CONNELLSVILLE	9	11	.450
Grafton	9	11	.450
Clarksburg	9	12	.429
Charleroi	7	11	.420

Nice, kind Mr. William Smink, the human roadhouse who is a member of President Gronninger's staff of umpires, called yesterday's game at Uniontown in the thirteenth inning with the score a tie. William said he couldn't see, but throughout the game he gave evidence of needing his windows washed and the Connellsville fans thought he was seeing them as good in the twilight as when the game started. Judging from some of the decisions handed down by the aforesaid William Smink, the Cokers would have done just as well with a blind man on the job.

The game yesterday was another one of those long winded affairs and it was full of class from start to finish. "Honest" Abe Kruger, the canonized heaver from Tioga, hurled 'em over for the Champs and had the Cokers buffaloed just five innings. Then, with the game apparently lost, the ball tossers from the Center of the Coke Region gave Mr. Kruger his bumps and tied the score. From that on Abe needed every bit of the gilt-edged support he received and was about to fly distress signals when Smink came to the rescue and called the game.

Chief Sweeney trotted Tommy Silcox out to the box to serve the slants in Uniontown but it was Tom's off day. It wasn't hard luck—just bad form. Tom held the heavy hitting Champs without a run for three consecutive innings and then there was an eruption. Roberts singled and McCloskey sent one up the left field hill for three bases. Snodgrass duplicated the stunt and later came home when Myers fumbled Hilley's grounder after two men were down. Carlss hit forced Hilley at second and the spasm ended with the Champs three tallies to the good.

This peeved Mr. Kruger up and he held the Cokers safe. In the next inning Sweeney decided Silcox had taken enough medicine for one day, for the Chief had a hunch that, hard as Uniontown is to beat, the Cokers were just about the right kids to turn the trick. Silcox had been working bad anyhow as he swatted three Champs in the short ribs in addition to allowing four bad bunches.

The scene in the fifth, the Chief called on Kid Hagan to take a swat at Abe's sister but the Kid couldn't hit safely. He might have beaten Miller's throw to first had it not been for his bum ankle. There was nothing doing in the season and Johnny Yoedt took his place in the box.

The German comedian received a warm reception from the bleachers and was so flustered that he forgot himself and fanned Phillips. After Josie had gone down so easy Johnny decided to take a chance on Carnes. It was a bad move, for the elongated first sacker lifted the ball to deep center for three sacks and scored on Roberts' hit to Myers. The hit was a bad one and Dutch had no chance to play otherwise than to nail the batter at first, which he did in the most approved style.

In the sixth the Cokers got Abe's goat and kept it for a while. Gilligan opened the inning by poking out a neat single over Hilley's head. Ike Francis drove a sharp safety through McCloskey and then Myers brought Gilligan home on another bingle. Calhoun worked the Tioga giant for a pass while Chip Francis went out, McCloskey to Carnes. This was the time Myers showed the Uniontown bunch what baserunning is. Ike Francis scored on the out and the Champs weren't looking for Myers to cut home too. He did it though, and beat Carnes' throw to the plate by a mile. This was three runs for the Cokers and they quit. In the following session Morgan singled and trotted home on Ike Francis' three bagger to deep left. There were two out and Myers could not score Ike although he made a good try at it.

Both sides settled down after this and there was nothing doing in the scoring line. Yoedt was free with his passes but stingy with the hits, so Uniontown could do nothing at all. On the other hand, Kruger was touched up lively, but not at the right time. In the ninth inning it looked like a sure run for the Cokers. Fralley opened with a single and went up on Yoedt's sacrifice. Morgan and Gilligan were then easy outs. In the tenth, after Smink called Ike Francis out after he had beaten McCloskey's throw to Carnes, Myers singled and stole second. Calhoun and Chip Francis were retired on flies. In the twelfth Gilligan drew a pass and went up on a suicide. He took third when Myers flew out to deep center but died there when Calhoun fanned. In the thirteenth Chip Francis singled and started for second on McCloskey's hectic heave to first. The ball hit Summers, who was coaching by first base, and bounced back in the infield. Francis was nipped before he could get back to the bag. Tiffany fanned and so did Yoedt after Fralley had singled.

It looked bad for the Cokers in the ninth. The tension was awful and when Miller hit a bounder to Myers, who fumbled, Dutch just fell to pieces and did not attempt to make the throw. Hilley and Carlss went out on long flies, though, while Yoedt decided not to take a chance and passed Phillips. Carnes flew out to Chip Francis.

Uniontown wasn't dangerous again until the thirteenth when Abe Kruger singled after one man was out. Yoedt seemed to weaken and passed Miller. Then Hilley hit an ugly drive to Tiffany who scooped it in with one hand and doubled Miller at first, an unassisted double play. That broke Uniontown's heart and Smink, nice man, called the game. It was only 6:30 then and light enough to play for an hour longer. The score.

CONNELLSVILLE.	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Morgan lf	6	1	1	3	0	0
Gilligan, 2b	1	1	1	8	1	0
I. Francis 3b	5	1	2	0	0	0
Myers, ss	5	1	2	2	6	2
Calhoun, rf	5	0	1	3	0	0
C. Francis, cf	6	0	1	6	0	0
Tiffany, 1b	5	0	0	1	1	0
Fralley, c	6	0	2	8	1	1
Silcox, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
*Hogan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yoedt, p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	47	4	11	39	12	3

UNIONTOWN	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Miller, 2b	4	0	0	2	6	0
Hilley, 3b	6	0	0	0	1	0
Carlss, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Phillips, cf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Carnes, 1b	5	1	1	11	0	0
Roberts, rf	5	1	1	2	0	0
McCloskey, ss	6	1	1	1	7	0
Snodgrass, c	4	1	1	13	1	0
Kruger, p	6	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	46	4	6	39	15	0

Con'ville. 0 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
U'town. 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4

Stolen bases—Gilligan, Myers 2, Miller 2, McCloskey.
Sacrifice hits—I. Francis, Yoedt, Roberts.
Two-base hit—Calhoun.
Three-base hits—I. Francis, McCloskey, Snodgrass, Carnes.
Left on bases—Connellsville 11, Uniontown 12.
Double play—Tiffany (unassisted).
Innings pitched—By Silcox 4, by Yoedt 9.
Hits—Off Silcox, 4 in 17 times at bat, off Yoedt, 2 in 29 times at bat.
Struck out—By Silcox 1 (Miller) by Yoedt 6 (Phillips, Snodgrass, Carnes, Kruger, McCloskey 2) by Kruger 9 (I. Francis, Calhoun 2, Tiffany 3, Yoedt 2, Myers).
Bases on balls—Off Yoedt 6 (Miller 2, Snodgrass 2, Phillips, Hilley), off Kruger 4 (Gilligan 2, Myers, Calhoun).
Hit by pitched ball—By Silcox (Carnes, Miller, Carlss) by Kruger 1 (Tiffany).
Passed balls—Snodgrass, Fralley.
Time of game—2:05.
Umpire—Smink.

Grafton Again Wins.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., May 26—By landing on Wallace in the second inning for four runs Grafton trimmed the Drummers in a 5-3 game here yesterday. Cornelius, who worked for Grafton, was a *puzzle* and let the locals down with six safeties. The Outcasts played a perfect fielding game. The score:

		R	H	E
Grafton	0 4 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	5	9	0
Clarksburg	1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0	3	6	2

Fairmont Lucks Out.

CHARLEROI, May 26.—Fairmont won from Charleroi in an interesting 3-2 game here yesterday. The two teams were on even terms in hits and errors but the visitors had their usual bunch of luck. The score:

		R	H	E
Fairmont	0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0	3	7	1
Charleroi	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1	2	7	1

Fair and Foul.

Looks as though Connellsville is scheduled to get the worst of it. Conspiracy, b'gosh.

Please Mr. Smink, why did you call the game yesterday when you said Monday you would have let that contest gone on two more innings if it had not ended in the sixteenth?

Miller swore at Yoedt with the umpire standing within five feet of him. Yoedt said something naughty back and then Miller walked from the batter's box and started a fistic encounter. Why wasn't Miller benched?

Johnny Yoedt used his noodle when he didn't strike back at the diminutive Jimmy. Had he done so, Mr. Smink would have rushed him off the grounds in short order.

Fine bunch of arbitrators Gronninger has. Weddige used vile language towards Ike Francis in Clarksburg. Smink stands for rowdy playing and Featheringham doesn't know the rules. Of the three the last named is the best of the outfit. He does the best he knows how. The others ought to have better baseball sense.

They fined Sweeney $5 down in Clarksburg for running on the field to question a decision. Miller gets away with a bungled attempt to start a fight with the pitcher who has his team buffaloed. Why discriminate?

Just because the Connellsville Directors were shrewd enough to engineer a deal which keeps the profits at home the other clubs have it in for them. Well, this is one year the Cokers would be the philanthropists of the league.

Great game that yesterday. Chip Francis made six swell catches in center. Uniontown not having seen a real outfielder this season, just opened her mouth and was speechless. Chip's catch of Kruger's drive in the sixth robbed the Tioga boy of a sure homer. Not to be outdone, Calhoun made a dive for Hilley's fly, got it at his shoestrings and turned a somersault. His catch of a fly by Carlss was also sensational. Morgan, too got a hard one in left. The field was bad and the wind carried the ball a good distance out of its course, but Morgan landed, all right.

Ike Francis went through the 13 innings without the semblance of a chance at third.

Tiffany's unassisted double play was one of the neatest things they ever saw in Uniontown.

Ike Francis certainly hit that ball in the seventh. He made three bases on the bingle and Ike is no ten second man, either.

Johnny Yoedt allowed just two hits in the nine innings he pitched. He gave one in the first session he tossed them over and saved the other until the last.

Abe Kruger didn't have a thing on Yoedt even if he did fan nine Cokers.

About 100 fans from Connellsville witnessed the game yesterday. They made more noise than the whole 137 Uniontown people put together. The attendance yesterday was only fair, and Connellsville is the best drawing card in the league for Uniontown.

The Connellsville people found it necessary to run a gauntlet of fans of low degree at the close of the game. The real sports in Uniontown are so few that they can't be seen or heard for the tin-horns on the bleachers.

Let's see what the Champs can do with Fairmont. So far they haven't won a single game from Haymond's men and it is time they were waking up.

The fans here who keep up a senseless anvil chorus at Johnny Yoedt should have seen him pitch yesterday. There are a few who don't like Johnny and who do not conceal their dislike. Those who saw him mow down the heavy Uniontown slugers inning after inning yesterday took off their hats to the little German. Johnny will play anywhere, and will play his head off. If he makes a misque it is not because he wanted to. There isn't a harder working man on the team than Yoedt and he deserves praise for this, not censure.

Abe Kruger was fined $5 for disputing a decision. How did Smink ever have the nerve to do it?

Whatever his limitations as an umpire may be, Smink is some comedian. When Yoedt took up the reins, Smink turned to the press box and bawled, "Dick Merriwell is now pitching." No dime novel twirler ever did better than Johnny Yoedt did yesterday.

The Morning Herald asks "Was it too dark or did Smink object to working overtime?" Very pertinent question and what's the answer?

The Herald also thinks Connellsville was given all the best of it on balls and strikes while the Cokers were handed their raw ones on the bases. This statement bears the earmarks of having come from the mill of an honest man.

Uniontown thinks the Cokers haven't anything on Uniontown. We didn't have a pennant winner last year, either, or a few angels to pay the freight. The Cokers belong to Great er Connellsville. The Champs are supported through the charity of two or three true sportsmen. The town up there doesn't contribute as much as *guarantee money in four games out of five.*

Additional Sporting News Will be found on the fifth page today

If You're Going Abroad

You can get everything to make your journey safe and pleasant right here in Connellsville—at the Foreign Department of The First National Bank of Connellsville—Steamship tickets—Cabin or berth reserved—Passport—Letters of Credit and Travelers' Cheques. Only steamship agency in this section representing both the Mediterranean and Continental service.

Mine Fire Under Control.

Irwin, Pa., May 26.—Fire in mine No. 3 of the Penn Gas Coal company at Marchands is under control. A large force of men is building a wall to keep the flames from extending. A short-circuited electric wire caused the blaze. The mine employs 400 men.

Indian Creek Valley Railway.

Usual excursion rates to Rogers Mills for Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Tickets good to return Monday. Killarney Park every day. Excursion tickets on sale for Decoration Day, May 31.

Have you tried our classified ads?

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Twenty Years From Today a Bald headed Man Will Be An Unusual Sight.

One of the most prominent druggists of America made a statement a few weeks ago which has caused a great deal of discussion among scientists in the medical press.

He said: "If the new hair grower, Parisian Sage increases its sales as it has during the past year, it will be used by nearly every man, woman and child in America within eight years."

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It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not sticky or greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement, who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant.

Only 50 cents for a large bottle at A. A. Clarke's and leading druggists everywhere, and remember when you buy a bottle of Parisian Sage you get more for 50 cents than the makers of ordinary tonics give you.

NEW QUESTION INTRODUCED

50 Candidates For Citizenship Disclaim Enmity For Soldiers.

New York, May 26.—Fifty candidates for citizenship were asked by Judge Lacombe of the United States court whether they were members of any labor organization or other society which does not allow its members to join freely either the regular army or the national guard.

The applicants all denied belonging to any such organization.

DROWN IN SHALLOW WATER

Automobile Upsets, Pinning Occupants Beneath In Small Stream.

Stockton, Cal., May 26.—Mrs. Warren Jones, wife of a wealthy farmer, and the three-year-old son of his sister, Mrs. Isaac Robinson, were drowned when their automobile was overturned in two feet of water.

Mrs. Robinson was saved from drowning by her daughter, a child of eight, who held her head above water until she was released.

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WITH every tailored suit we sell during the present week we will give one of equal value. That is if you purchase a suit, be it a $40 one or one for $15, we will give you any other suit in the store that is priced the same as the one you have purchased absolutely free of all charge.

We have never taken so radical a step before but on the other hand we have never had as many suits in stock as at this season of the year and we positively will not carry a single suit from one season to another so a very radical measure seemed necessary to accomplish a complete clearance.

Every suit we offer in this sale is strictly stylish and perfect in every way and you may choose any suit in the store. Not a single one is reserved and there are a few over two hundred to begin the week with.

Some will say, "What will I do with two suits?" Possibly you are right and there are few women who will care to take two suits, but you know there are any number of women who have not bought a Spring Suit as yet. They'll all be here this week. You'll meet plenty of women right here in the store that will divide with you on the price of your suit and get another for nothing.

There are absolutely no strings to this offer whatever. We simply desire to "Clean up" on tailored suits and we intend doing it this week. A suit is going to be given away with every suit that is purchased. We don't believe in half-way methods. The first loss is the best.

Perhaps you've seen a suit here that you liked. Perhaps your neighbor has seen another of like price that she desires. You can come to the store this week, pay for one and secure them both. You can then arrange the division of cost between yourselves.

This offer ends Saturday, May 29th, but we'll have mighty few suits left by that time. The selling has been wonderful today. It will increase as the week progresses and enthusiastic buyers begin to advertise us.

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SMALLWOOD

Run five miles against the Fayette county Relay Team, nor the finish of the

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CYCLE PARK,

UNIONTOWN, ON

Saturday, May 29.

Special Car Leave Connellsville at 1 O'clock, Reaching Park at 1:50

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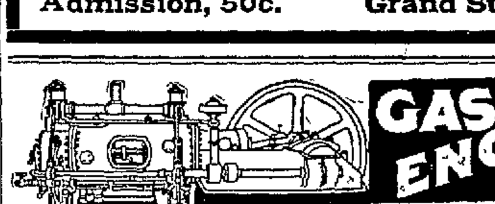

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